

JULY
Exempt from all doubts and jealousy is he who claims July as his natal month and owns a glowing ruby.

SIKESTON STANDARD

TWICE-A-WEEK

You can't advertise today and quit tomorrow. You're not talking to a mass meeting. You're talking to a parade.

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Sikeston Baseball Nine Wins Ninth Straight Game By Defeating Chaffee 16-5

The Sikeston Independents last Sunday placed the ninth straight victory on their string by defeating the Chaffee nine 16 to 5.

Lefty Fidler was moundsman for the locals. He allowed eleven safeties, but kept them scattered. The local boys found Birger, the same Birger who held the Sikeston team to four hits at Anna, Ill., last season, for 21 knocks and a total of 16 tallies.

Wilmoth led the locals with hits, getting two triples, two doubles and two singles out of six times at bat.

The box score:

SIKESTON	AB	R	H	E
B. Crain, cf	6	3	1	0
O. Clinton, 2b	6	1	1	0
Wilmoth, ss	6	3	6	1
J. Crain, 3b	6	1	1	0
Sexton, 1b	6	2	4	1
P. Crain, lf	3	0	0	0
Smith, rf	3	0	0	0
F. Clinton, c	5	1	2	1
Fidler, p	5	3	3	0
Payne, rf	3	2	3	0
Lee, lf	3	0	0	0

CHAFFEE	AB	R	H	E
Roberts, ss	5	1	1	0
Head, 1b	4	0	2	0
Carle, cf	5	1	1	0
Brown, c	4	0	1	0
Birger, p	4	0	1	2
Hood, rf	4	0	1	0
Pfeffekorn, 3b	4	1	2	2
Roney, 2b	4	1	2	2
Hues, lf	4	1	2	0

Total 52 16 21 3
Summary: 3-base hits, Wilmoth 2, B. Crain 1, Head 1. Two-base hits: Wilmoth 2, O. Clinton 1, F. Clinton 1.

FATHER DRIVES WHILE WOMAN SHOPS; CAN'T FIND PARKING SPACE

What might be interpreted as an advertisement for Sikeston is reported by The Standard's Morley correspondent. A family from that city was in Sikeston one evening recently and desiring to do some shopping sought a parking place on several streets. Failing to find room to park, the father was compelled to keep on driving around while the mother did the family buying.

FIRST COTTON BLOOM PICKED ON TUESDAY

C. T. Howard brought to The Standard office Wednesday morning two cotton blooms from the Mayme Marshall farm near Crowder, that were picked Tuesday. In this field of 100 acres Mr. Howard informs us were a number of blooms. The entire field is fine for this time of year.

W. H. Deane from Matthews was a business visitor Wednesday. He reports some cotton blossoms in that neighborhood; also, that a good, general rain is badly needed in that section.

A phone message from the office of E. P. Coleman Wednesday afternoon brought the information that "first" cotton blossoms were found that morning on a 45-acre tract, farmed by Jennie Johnson, just west of Matthews.

The past week of excessively high temperatures has hurt corn to some extent, but cotton growers are jubilant. It's cotton weather. Fields are exceptionally clean, stands good and prospects for a good crop are bright.

Caruthersville, July 1.—The first cotton blooms of the 1931 crop are reported to have been taken to Braggadocio last Wednesday. Two were on a single stalk, and grown on the farm of Earl Long.

METHODIST CHURCH

11:00—"The Mind of God".
9:30—Sunday school. Classes for all.

7:00—The Epworth League will sponsor a Vesper service, to which every one is invited. It will be held in the church yard lawn in front of the church. This will be only on Sunday evenings during the months of July and August.

As we are having only the morning service let our people attend.

J. F. E. BATES, Pastor.

A. B. MILLS IS HEAT VICTIM

The record breaking June heat wave which consistently carried temperatures in this district up to and over the 100 mark, claimed the life of Aaron Burr Mills, section crew workman of Chaffee Wednesday afternoon about 3:30 o'clock. Mills, the section foreman and another workman were engaged in cutting a steel rail when Mills was overcome. He died thirty minutes later.

The deceased was born February 4, 1894 and was married to Mrs. Straudie Carmody April 22, 1917. The family lived in Chaffee about five years, moving to Oran, where they lived three years. March last, Mr. and Mrs. Mills moved to Brickleys.

His brothers, Ben and Walter Mills of Matthews, the family homestead, accompanied the body to that place Wednesday night. Funeral services will be conducted Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock with Rev. Garrison of the Methodist church officiating. Interment in the Matthews Cemetery, Albritton of Sikeston in charge.

Surviving are his wife and six children, his father of West Plains, Ben and Walter Mills of Matthews, two brothers of Gary, Ind., one brother of Kentucky and three sisters.

Cairo, Ill., July 1.—Henry Worthington, 60 years old, died of heat exhaustion today, making the first casualty of the hot wave which continued unabated today with the temperature threatening to pass the 100 mark.

Jefferson City, July 1.—Guy H. Carlson, 65 years old, a salesman of St. Louis, died at St. Mary's Hospital last night of heat prostration. The temperature here yesterday was 103 degrees.

Louisiana, Mo., July 1.—Alvie Wells, 63 years old, was overcome by the heat while plowing corn on the farm of Charles Edmonds on Salt River, three miles north of here today. He died soon after being removed from the field to the farm house. This makes the second death of farmers here from heat exhaustion during the current hot weather.

Galesburg, Ill., July 1.—John Smith, a laborer, died today a heat victim, and left more than \$12,000. There was no will, and no relatives have been found. Unless claimants appear, the money will go to Knox County.

Kansas City, Mo., July 1.—John J. Dailey, 55, a World War veteran, was found dead in his room today. Roy Casey, Deputy Coroner, said the heat caused his death.

Decatur, Ill., July 1.—Hottest spot in America yesterday, Decatur again today boasted a 105 official temperature, equalling yesterday's hottest. Seven had died of the heat in the seven days just passed, each of which sent the mercury over 100.

DeKalb, Ill., July 1.—The first two deaths from heat in De Kalb County were reported by Coroner R. P. Culver. Pedil Connerly, 22 years old, of Xenia, died on a farm three miles east of here after being stricken while working in the field. Paul Johnson, 70, was found dead at home in Genoa after neighbors had missed him since Sunday.

Palmyra, Mo., July 1.—C. J. Johnson died suddenly of heat exhaustion at his home near here today.

Dixon, Ill., July 1.—Jens Neilsen, 61 years old, a farmer, and Elmer Uhl, 67, contractor, died today, their death attributed to the heat.

Peoria, Ill., July 1.—Three deaths brought the total of heat victims for the season to 17 here. The mercury soared to 100 for the seventh consecutive day.

Hannibal, Mo., July 1.—After breaking all June records for this region yesterday with a temperature of 102, a break in two weeks of excessive heat was promised by tomorrow by the local United State Weather Bureau.

Marshall, Mo., July 1.—August Wichart, 50 years old, fell dead while working in a garden at Mount Leonard, west of here. Physicians said the extreme heat caused his death.

BOLT KILLS MULES, FARMER RECOVERS

Archie Alleston, plowing corn on the R. T. "Dode" Wainman farm during the thunderstorm Wednesday afternoon was struck by lightning which killed both mules hitched to the cultivator. Alleston was brought to the Emergency Hospital in the Wainman car, and after an hour began to show signs of recovery. He left the hospital Thursday morning for his home on the Tom Gardner farm. Dr. Kendig stated that the lightning struck Alleston at the back of the head.

LUTESVILLE FARMER STRUCK BY LIGHTNING

Clarence Swann of near Glen Allen was being treated at Lutesville today, where hope is held for his recovery after being struck by lightning late Tuesday afternoon. Swann was knocked from his horse near his home during a severe electrical storm, and was unconscious for nearly an hour. His son, Clarence, Jr., and Coy Shetler were touched by the bolt, but escaped injury.

EVANGELIST MEETING OPENS IN BIG TENT

Monday night marked the opening of the evangelistic meeting in the big brown tent at Stoddard and Front Streets when a fine crowd greeted the evangelists in their opening service. Tuesday night the crowd was more than double in number over the Monday night attendance. Wednesday night the threatening storm cut in on the attendance, but the services went on just the same. Those that came expecting to hear the bombastic type of evangelism so often heard were disappointed for they found a man forceful and eloquent and effective in his speech, fearless and unafraid and unintimidated in the denunciation of sin, yet he never indulged in vituperative abuse. No one would have to listen to Dr. Hamilton the second time to be impressed by his kindly spirit, his genuine sincerity of heart, honesty of purpose of winning men and women to the cause of Jesus Christ. Already people have been in attendance from the nearby towns. A delegation is expected to visit the meeting from Malden early next week.

Dr. Hamilton announced his subjects for the next three days as follows Friday night, "Why I believe the Bible to be the Word of God"; Saturday night, "God, Mammon, Devil or Self, Whom Do You Serve?"; Sunday, "Is There Room for Jesus in Sikeston?"

Beginning next Tuesday morning at 9:00 o'clock, Mr. Fleming, the song director, will conduct meetings for boys and girls in the big tent. In Malden the average attendance was over two hundred in these meetings. The big chorus choir got under way and it will be one of the big attractions in the meeting. There will be no service conducted Sunday morning or afternoon.

The State Club Water Carnival of the Chillicothe Business College will be held July 29th with ten State Clubs competing for both boys and girls' swimming and diving championships.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Hammett of Marysville, Kansas, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Lawrence at the Del Rey Hotel. Mr. Hammett reports a wonderful corn prospect in his section of the Sunflower State.

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The following from Sikeston are attending the summer term of the Teachers' College at Cape Girardeau: Montia P. Allard, Lillian Ancell, Lester A. Fidler, Viola L. Fidler, Georgia M. Houchens, Lilly Newton, Lillian Z. Reiss, Burdeen L. Schreff, Mrs. Rivers Tanner, Elizabeth N. Janson.

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QUILIN MAN SAYS HE THINKS HIS MULE IS OLDEST

Quilin, Mo., July 1.—John Huey, of Quilin, is entering his mule in the old age contest.

Huey begs to differ with another farmer who recently claimed to own the oldest mule in this county. Huey has one that was 31 years old May 15.

And not only that, but the mule works every day Huey needs her. He says that when he lets the mule out on the range, it takes two men to catch her. She is still full of life, regardless of the fact that she has been old enough to vote for ten years. —American Republic.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Noonan and children will leave Monday to spend a week near Doniphan on Current River.

Mrs. P. H. Daniels and son are leaving for Anaconda, Montana tonight (Thursday) for a couple of months' visit.

Miss Lillian Cresap Bailey of St. Louis is the guest of Mrs. Lucille Jackson. Miss Bailey was formerly a resident of this city.

You go to the picture show to see ad hear. If you are not visiting Week's Theatre, Dexter, you may not see and hear the best.

The bazaar and bingo party held on the school grounds Tuesday evening by the Catholic ladies was well attended and a nice sum realized.

Mrs. A. J. Moore, Franklin and Miss Henrietta Moore attended the funeral of Jimmie Hux at Essex funeral of Jimmie Hux at Essex.

Miss Sara Wilson was the guest of Mrs. Roy V. Ellise from Sunday until Wednesday. Mrs. Ellise complimented Miss Wilson at bridge Tuesday afternoon.

Miss Wilma Toney returned to her home in Washington, Ind., Monday night, after a delightful visit at the home of Mrs. Lee Bowman and other relatives.

Mrs. Robert O. Guin and small daughter, Lorraine, returned to her home in St. Louis Sunday, after several days' visit with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Lon Nall.

Granville Dudley, representative of Gray and Dudley Hardware Co., of Nashville, Tenn., arrived in Sikeston Thursday for a short visit with his brother, Thos. B. Dudley.

Mrs. Moore Greer had a few friends in Wednesday afternoon to meet Mrs. Tiffin. Mrs. John Harris Marshall of Charleston and her three sisters were out-of-town visitors.

H. C. Blanton hasn't exactly an Garden of Eden at his home on North Ranney Street, but nevertheless, he killed a large spread head viper under an apple tree Tuesday evening.

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Only One Mail Delivery In Sikeston After July 1 On Saturday Afternoons

An announcement made this morning by W. E. Hollingsworth, postmaster, states that under the provisions of the recently passed 44-hour week postal law, only one delivery will be made on Saturday to persons living in the city. An exception will be made to patrons receiving mail in the business district. Two deliveries will be made each day as usual.

The notice follows:

In accordance with the Act of Congress and Senate of the United States making 44-hour work week for postal clerks and city carriers, it will be necessary that we make only one delivery of mail to the resident districts on Saturdays after July 1, 1931, when this law is effective, in order to carry out the purpose of the Postal Laws and Regulations and give the carriers half holiday Saturdays. We will make two deliveries to the business section up town by substitute carriers. We hope this will not inconvenience anyone and that you will co-operate with us in carrying out the wish of the Senate and Congress of the U. S. and Postal Laws and Regulation.

Very truly yours,
W. E. HOLLINGSWORTH, P. M.

MRS. MOORE GREER ENTERTAINS AT CAPE GIRARDEAU COUNTRY CLUB

Mrs. Joe Howlett and Mrs. John Harris Marshall of Charleston, and the latter's house guests, Mesdames J. M. Mosley and C. C. Hearn of San Antonio, Texas and Mesdames C. M. Cleavenger and H. P. Jagers of Dallas, Texas were guests of honor at a picnic supper given Monday evening at the Country Club of Cape Girardeau by Mrs. Moore Greer of Sikeston.

Following the picnic Mrs. Greer entertained her guests with a picture show part at the theatre in Cape Girardeau.

CHARLESTON BRIDGE CLUB ENTERTAINED IN SIKESTON

Mrs. Edwards Coon on Saturday afternoon in her home in Sikeston, entertained the members of the Saturday Bridge Club of Charleston and the following guests: Mesdames Westly Lair, Herman Mattingly, Jr., Clifford Brown and Miss Ellen Boyce.

The high score prize was won by Mrs. Byron Howlett, the low score by Mrs. Thomas Byrd and Mrs. Clifford Brown, the visitor's prize.

A salad course was served at the conclusion of the game.

YOUNG NEWSPAPERMAN HERE ON VISIT THURSDAY

Marion Warren, 11-year-old son of Bill Warren of this city, who at present is making his home with his grandfather, Dwight Warren of Farmington, visited for a short time Thursday at The Standard office. Young Warren states that he has a small hand power press, and came in to secure a number of "pictures" from the office. "The Wee Worm", issued intermittently as the spirit moves, is the publication printed by the Warren Brothers.

TO ORGANIZE IN MEXICO, MO., FOR CITY-OWNED UTILITIES

Mexico, Mo., July 1.—Advocates of municipal water and gas plants for Mexico will organize at the court house tomorrow after first having heard speeches on municipal ownership by W. F. Fisher, secretary of the Board of Public Works at Marshall; Mayor C. A. McPheeters of Fulton, and R. R. Howard of Slater. Judge E. A. Shannon of Mexico will preside.

The City Council recently defeated on ordinance for a 20-year natural gas franchise to the Missouri Power and Light Co., which furnishes water, gas, light and ice here. Its gas franchise expired recently.

AUXILIARY MEETING

The Auxiliary of the American Legion held their regular meeting at the home of Mrs. Marshall Myers on Wednesday evening, July 1, with a small number present.

The Auxiliary will present a base drum to the Drum and Bugle Corps to complete their number of instruments so that they will have a full corps to attend the annual State Convention to be held in Joplin in September.

SIKESTON MAN IS OVERCOME

Herrin, Ill., July 1.—W. L. Kernell, Sikeston, Mo., employe of the Wills Construction Co., of St. Louis, suffered a heat prostration here today.

Physicians believe he will recover. He was overcome shortly before noon while working on a grading job north of here on route 148.

RECOVER BODY OF DROWNED BOY

Cape Girardeau, July 1.—The body of Wm. Pough, 20 years old, who drowned in the Mississippi River Sunday has been taken to Point Pleasant, after being picked up south of that point and on the Illinois side of the river. The body of Pough was located near the camp of Woods Bros. Construction Co., which is doing dike work on the Mississippi.

An inquest is to be held in Illinois. Pough went into the Mississippi Sunday afternoon with several other boys, and failed to rise after diving. A search had been going on since that time by a group of men who used boats and drag equipment in an effort to raise the body.

Pough was considered a fairly good swimmer and often swam in the river. At the time of his death he was living at the home of his grandmother near Price's Landing, which is 12 miles south of Commerce.—Southeast Missouri.

Special to The Standard

Charleston, Mo., July 1.—Howard Pough, aged 20 years, son of Bob Pough, who resides on Alpha Brown farm some fifteen miles north of this city, was drowned Sunday evening at 5:00 o'clock at Price's Landing, while swimming in the Mississippi River with the following young men of that community: Roy and Ray Lovett, Paul, George and Roy Sands, Cecil Holmes and Wilbur French.

He made no out-cry for help. He was a slow swimmer and was in the rear of the party.

Hold Funeral Wednesday

The body of Howard Pough, 20, of Charleston, who was drowned Sunday while swimming in the Mississippi river at Prices Landing on the Missouri side of the river, was buried in the Oak Grove cemetery, near Charleston, this afternoon.

Coroner Dan Sullivan conducted an inquest over the body late Tuesday at the funeral home of E. A. Burke, Cairo, where it was taken shortly after it had been recovered. A formal verdict of death by drowning was returned. The body was taken to Missouri at noon today. Pough was the adopted son of Mrs. Millie A. Pough of Charleston.

TO OPEN NEW BARBECUE STAND AND STATION JULY 4

Walker and Quellmalz, both of Cairo, Ill., today announce the formal opening next Saturday of an old-time pit barbecue lunch stand in connection with a Conoco oil station on Highway 60, just west of the International Shoe Factory, and east of the Sikeston Laundry building.

H. Walker of the firm and Mr. Lummer operate a similar place in Cairo just opposite the postoffice. It is famous in the entire Southern Illinois district for barbecued meat sandwiches.

The Sikeston lunch room will feature pit barbecue and cold drinks.

Fried chicken dinner Saturday and Sunday.—Sheppard's Cafe.

Mrs. J. L. Tanner, Mrs. Harris and Miss Nanabelle Wilson drove to Crowder Monday afternoon to visit friends.

The Arbutus and T. E. L. Classes of the Baptist church realized about \$40 on their ice cream and cake sale held on the lawn of the church last Thursday evening.

SIKESTON STANDARD

C. L. BLANTON, EDITOR

ESTABLISHED TUESDAY AND FRIDAY
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class mail matter, according to act
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adjoining counties.....\$1.50
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United States.....\$2.00

The Standard is not just exactly a
regulator, but is edited by a man that
has seen some of the world by day and
by night, and when conditions along
certain lines become almost a scandal,
it is about time for some preacher or
editor to talk from the shoulder. It
is hardly right to expect the preacher
to get personal from the pulpit, so it
falls to the editor to call attention to
certain unseemly things that happen
from time to time in the community.
Every citizen cannot occupy the high-
est rung on the social ladder, but
every citizen can be respectable and
conduct themselves in such a manner
that they are respected by men and
women in every walk of life. Small
boys and small girls soon observe the
things that are unseemly and unless
their minds are put right, may follow
in the footsteps of the less desirable
citizens.

Some seventy-five prohibition agent
prospects have been ordered to a
special training school. We suppose
the training will be along the line of
sacrificing any manhood they might
have had and given instructions how
to get into the good graces of some
one, eat their food, accept of their
hospitality, then show their badge
after drinking a bottle of home brew
and take them to jail. Between the
two, we would much prefer one of our
sons to be a bootlegger to an enforce-
ment officer and have to stop to such
contemptible means to make a case.

Howard Smith, 16 years of age, of
Ottawa, Ill., was buried in a well for
23 hours before being rescued. It is
stated he joked with his rescuers af-
ter being released. It was also stat-
ed he did some praying while in the
hole. A conflict of emotions, but his
belief in a God and help from on high.

Tip Keller is of the opinion that
the weather in Sikeston is warmer in
the summer than it is in the winter.
This is an opinion that should be giv-
en great weight by thinking people.

In glancing over a list of the
Army forts and posts proposed to be
abandoned, the reader will not find
the name of Fort Benjamin Harrison
out in Jim Watson's State, which may
help account for the temporary silence
of the Republican Senate leader.

It was Senator Caraway, as we re-
call, who said of Mr. Hoover's Twen-
ty-Year Plan: "It is not a plan at
all; it is a dream".

Weather forecasters see no indica-
tion of a drouth in 1931, but in the
realm of politics and economics the
"Hoover Blight" still remains.

The "mortgage" that John Raskob
holds is not on the Democratic party,
but on its affectations. Fifteen mil-
lion Democrats can't be wrong.—The
Missouri Democrat.

There are other things besides the
heat working on the Widder Zander
these days. Old Bim Gump is about
to ruin Tom Carr her sweetie though
jealousy!

Expressions by various prominent
Democratic members of the Senate
and the House of Representatives
seem to indicate that President Hoo-
ver will have Congressional agree-
ment with his proffer of postponement
of international debts and the inter-
est thereon for one year. There is to
be no Democratic effort for a partisan
policy of obstruction. It does not fol-
low that all the Democrats, or all the
Republican members for that matter,
will join in the President's suggestion.
Doubtless there will be Senators and
Congressmen of both parties who
have other ideas. The prospect that
the measure will be considered ab-
solutely on its merits and without re-
gard to partisan interests means that
the proffer made last November over
the names of the Minority Leaders of
the House and Senate, the three men
now alive who have been nominated
for the Presidency by the Democratic
party, the National Chairman and the
Chairman of the Executive Commit-
tee, still stands. In that declaration
these Democratic leaders, by way of

reassurance to the business commu-
nity, gave notice that they would co-
operate in effecting the passage of
every measure definitely and palpably
in the public interest, regardless of
the sources of such measures. What
they particularly had in mind was
such legislation as might conduce to
the alleviation of the existing indus-
trial distress and particularly with
reference to the problem of unemploy-
ment. Unfortunately, co-operation
requires the adhesion of two parties,
and the administration was not will-
ing to go along on this basis. Hence
we had the defeat of the most import-
ant of the Wagner bills for the relief
of unemployment by the process of a
Presidential pocket veto. The ap-
parent excuse for this veto was that
the officials who would carry the pro-
posed measure into effect would be
appointed by the State authorities. In
other words, Governors in Democra-
tic States might appoint Democrats
to do the work. The President pre-
ferred the alternative of Secretary of
Labor Doak's substitute expedient,
which was to place in corresponding
offices men who would be politically
useful to the administration. How-
ever, the Democrats apparently feel
that the offer made by their titular
leaders, though these expressly dis-
avowed their ability to pledge the
members of Congress and issued the
statement as individuals, remains
binding on them even though the ad-
ministration refused a similar obliga-
tion. It would have been easy to
quarrel with the President's program,
especially because he had, only a few

days before announcing it, taken
quite a contrary position, insisting
that there could be no connection be-
tween the so-called war debts owed to
us and the reparations claims. In his
project for a year's moratorium all
of these obligations are included. The
Democratic position in this matter
shines in contrast with the Republi-
can attitude when President Woodrow
Wilson brought to Congress a still
graver international issue. This the
Republicans pledged themselves to
fight even before they knew what it
was. It was the suggestion of the
Democratic President and they re-
quired no other ground on which to
oppose it.

We have been asked when the
Peoples Bank Building will be sold
and another payment made to the de-
positors. An inquiry developed the
fact that it was hoped an advantage-
ous sale of the building could be made
at private sale later in this year and
prevent an auction sale, that would
probably not bring so much. The rent
from the building is paying 6 per cent
on a valuation of \$20,000 and it is
believed with a good crop year the
building will be sold for a fair valua-
tion. There has been paid about 35
per cent to the depositors and there
will probably be 30 per cent more
paid when the building is sold, which
is expected to be during this year.

"Ma" Kennedy, the mother of
Aimee Semple McPherson, has done
gone and got married. Hope the old
blade will be satisfied and happy.

We would hate to get the bunch of
fellows who visited Reelfoot Lake last
Sunday, turned loose telling their ex-
periences of that wonderful trip. They
now deny going fishing, but just on an
outing.

The annual picnic at Oran, tomor-
row, July 4, promises to draw a large
crowd. These good people know how
to prepare and serve a dinner and if
you have never attended one of these
picnics before, go up tomorrow in or-
der that you may say you attended
one before you died. Music and danc-
ing will be a feature.

The editor acknowledges a letter
from Flava Carroll, an inmate of the
Shriners' Hospital, St. Louis, where
she is convalescing from a broken
leg. She says she is getting along
nicely and we feel certain she is hap-
py as the letter radiates happiness.

A friend brought to the office Tues-
day a piece of art for our gallery, but
we couldn't use her. They must
have on some clothes.

Unlucky: The man who lost his
standing by lying.

Frank E. Dill, Athens, near Sayre,
Pa., offers as his contribution to hor-
ticultural wonders a pear tree that
bears ten varieties of the fruit. Dill
grafted nine other varieties on the
branches of a Kiefer pear tree. Last
year the tree bore nine kinds of pears;
this year he expects the tenth type to
appear.

FARM-LABOR LEADER URGES UNION WITH DEMOCRATS FOR COMING PRESIDENTIAL RACE

Minneapolis.—With the presidential
elections still nearly 17 months away,
a movement has been started to place
Minnesota in the Democratic ranks,
where it has been but once before in
71 years.

The movement was launched thru a
proposal that the Farmer-Labor party,
now powerful in the State, join
forces with the Democrats in 1932, in
the absence of a third national party.

This proposal was advanced by A.
C. Welch, veteran chairman of the
Farmer-Labor Association, central
governing group of the party.

Governor Olson has expressed the
view that the third party movement
represented a revolt against contin-
ued Republican domination of State
affairs, as well as a demand for a new
legislative program.

Minnesota has presented a majority
of its popular vote for president to
the Republicans every four years since

1860 when its voters first took part in
the election, excepting 1912, when
Wilson led. In 1916, Charles Evans
Hughes, Republican, led Wilson with
392 votes.

A combination of the strong farm-
er-labor vote with the minority but
steadfastly regular Democratic vote,
would easily equal the Republican to-
tal shown in the last elections, some
observers contend.

In 1928, Farmer-Labor leaders, in-
cluding Olson and Senator Henrik
Shipstead, advised members of the
party not to entangle the party in the
conflict of the two major national
parties for president.

In 1924, LaFollette, running as an
independent, received the active sup-
port of Farmer-Labor leaders, receiv-
ing 339,192 votes to 420,759 for Cool-
idge, with John W. Davis, Democrat,
trailing with 55,913.

A formal meeting of Farmer-La-

bor party leaders to lay the party's
course in the 1932 campaign will be
held this summer.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Sunday School—9:30.
There will be no preaching morning
or evening as the church is co-operat-
ing with the tent meeting, while not
sponsoring same.
Christian Endeavor—7:00.
W. H. HOOVER, Pastor

Telegraph students of the Chilli-
cothe Business College were placed
last week with the Western Union at
Alliance, Nebr., the Postal Telegraph-
Cable Co. at Sycamore, Ill., and the
C. N. W. R. R. at Dallas, S. Dakota.

In 1783 a French balloon rose 1000
feet and was carried out of sight of
Paris; finally, it fell 15 miles away,
much to the consternation of peas-
ants who attacked the fearful demon
with pitchforks, and dragged it from
the end of a horse's tail until nothing
but shreds remained.

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There are many other features on
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ble-acting hydraulic shock absorb-
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FOR A SANE FOURTH OF JULY

Bananas, Golden Ripe, per pound	4 1/2c
WATERMELONS Large Dixie each	45c
Bethesda GINGER ALE 24 oz. Bottle	15c
LEMEN SODA	
Welch's Grape Juice, quarts, 49c pints	25c
Maxwell House Coffee, per pound	30c
Sugar, Pure Cane, 10 pounds bulk	47c
Campbell's Pork and Beans, 4 cans	25c
Post Toasties or Kellogg's, 4 small packages	25c
P & G SOAP, 10 bars for	29c
OLEO, 2 pounds	23c



BEEF	PORK	VEAL	LAMB
LARD, per can \$4.20,	1 lb.		10c
BACON, half or whole			19c
DRY SALT JOWLS, per pound			10c
Dry Salt Bacon, lb.	14c	Beef Stew, lb.	12 1/2c
Pork Sausage, lb.	12 1/2c	Beef Roast, pound	17c
Hamburger, lb.	12 1/2c	Pork Shoulders Half or Whole	13 1/2c
Spare Ribs, lb.	12 1/2c	Pork Chops, lb.	23c

GOVERNMENT INSPECTED

FAMILY FOOD BILL 18 PER CENT LOWER

The weekly food bill of the average family is 18 per cent lower this year than in 1930.

Moreover, the budget of the average family shows a greater saving in food than in any other necessity, according to Albert H. Morrill, president of Kroger Grocery and Baking Company, which has just completed a survey and comparison of food prices.

Official reports indicate that during the past year clothing has declined in price 13.7 per cent, housing has declined 7.4 per cent, fuel and light have declined 3.7 per cent.

This means that the weekly family budget of \$10, which last year bought 90 pounds of food, today will buy 110 pounds of similar food.

The average family has benefited by this lower cost in two ways: they are using this year better foods and different foods and more of certain kinds of foods, or they are spending 18 per cent less for the same kinds of foods they used last year.

For instance, a family which might have used oleomargarine is now using butter; in baking a cake two eggs are used this year where one was used last year; for salads, where slaw was used last year perhaps lettuce and tomatoes and other vegetables are used now.

In the same manner, a family with a weekly food budget of \$20 a year ago can buy the same food today for \$16.40.

A family budget of \$30 a week last year can be reduced this year to \$24.60 and will purchase the same quantity of food.

A definite idea of how food prices have declined may be obtained from

the following specific items included in the Kroger survey:

	Per cent decline
Bread	17
Butter	45 1/2
Eggs	66
Cheese	54
Pork Sausage	65
Pork Chops	6
Smoked Hams	40
Shoulder of Lamb	50
Beef Steak	38.1
Chuck Roast	56 2-3
Meat for Loaf	40 2-3

AVOID DROUTH EFFECTS BY KEEPING PLANTS DRYER

Wet fields and marshy spots are often the first to show the effects of dry weather. A lawn that is sprinkled every day suffers more, if the family goes on vacation and neglects the sprinkling, than a nearby lawn that has had to depend on rain for most of its moisture.

Last year's long drouth emphasized this, both in town and country. This results from the general habit of plants to take life easy and to develop along lines of least resistance. In a marsh or a wet field the surface moisture is almost always adequate, and roots develop near the surface because they do not need to seek moisture and plant food in the lower levels. Ordinarily roots do not grow well in water-logged soil. When the surface dries out, the plant may be unable to tap the water in the subsoil. Similarly the well-sprinkled lawn develops a root system just beneath the surface, and if the upper layer of soil dries the lawn may soon look bare and brown.

In the wet or marshy fields the remedy is paradoxically, to fight drouth by keeping the fields dryer, usually by drainage which will favor

a deeper rooting. On the lawn, also, the remedy is to apply less water—less frequently but more water at a time, enough to soak the soil to a depth of several inches. Then, when the surface water evaporates, the roots of the grasses push downward to tap reserves of moisture.

FORESTS INFLUENCE AMOUNT OF MOISTURE IN THE AIR

Forests influence the amount of moisture in the air as well as conserve the water in the ground. Humidity records taken by the Pacific Northwest Forest Experiment Station in a Douglas fir forest before and after the trees were cut indicated a remarkable difference in atmospheric humidity, according to the Forest Service, United States Department of Agriculture.

In the forested area the relative humidity fell below 35 per cent in only one-third as many hours as in an open area nearby. After the forested tract was cut over, the atmosphere above it appeared to become almost as dry as that over the open space. The tests showed that the removal of the trees increased the number of hours during which the humidity was below 35 per cent by two and one-half times.

BASIS OF LIONISM

Lions Clubs are non-political, non-sectarian organizations composed of representative business and professional men who feel an interest in the welfare and progress of their city and community.

Lionism promotes the principles of good government and good citizenship.

Lionism takes an active interest in the civic, commercial, social and moral welfare of the community.

Lionism unites its members in the bonds of friendship, good-fellowship and mutual understanding.

Lionism is designed to further education, enlarge social and civic opportunities, support the laws, direct public counsels, and in every way make the lives of men better and happier. Membership is acquired by invitation only, and none but men of honor and of the highest standing will be asked to affiliate with the club. Only one active member will be assigned to each classification.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL FROM BLODGETT

Raymond Marshall was quite sick last week.

D. P. Bailey is visiting his son, Paul, in Lutesville.

Miss Thelma McDaniels visited with friends in Hayti, Sunday.

The B. Y. P. U. went on an outing Sunday at Perkin Springs.

Oscar Graham of Cape Girardeau visited friends here Sunday.

Misses Earlene and Modest Nolan of Croston visited here Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Lilly Bryant of Tulsa, Okla., is visiting Mr. and Mrs. I. H. Marshall.

Mr. Mooney of St. Louis visited his daughter, Mrs. Ben F. Marshall, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Muse of St. Louis are visiting Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Bailey.

Misses Louise Peal and Jeanette Graham visited at the Stubbs home in Cape Girardeau Thursday.

Mrs. Clarence Sadler and children are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Pete Barnes and Mrs. Hubard in St. Louis.

Mr. and Mrs. George Buchanan were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Eskew.

Mrs. Arterburn has returned from Sikeston and is now at the home of her son, C. C. Stewart.

Mrs. Lucy Mercer has returned from Tulsa, Okla., where she has been visiting her son, Carol Getz.

Mrs. I. H. Marshall, Mrs. Jane Peal and Mrs. Lilly Bryant visited with friends in Cape Girardeau during the week-end.

Dr. and Mrs. E. J. Neinstedt motored to Van Buren Sunday. Louise, their daughter, who has been visiting there, returned home.

The Boy Scouts, Chester Pearman, E. R. Putnam, Jr., Eugene Nunnelee, J. P. Stewart and Phillip Williams left Sunday for a two weeks' camp at Castor River.

Ash Grove—Main streets of city ed.

Portageville—Sutterfield Construction Co. received contract to construct new high school building here.

Writers are queer people who can but purge their sins on paper, and it takes people who have witnessed the same emotions to appreciate their works.

Greenville—Grocery store opened here in building owned by Greenville Roller Mill and operated by stockholders of company in connection with their flour and feed business.

SEVERE COLD WAVE RECORDED IN BRAZIL

Rio De Janeiro, Brazil, June 29.—Brazilians today were shivering in one of the first cold waves of the South American winter. The cold was felt in all the country from Rio De Janeiro southward. Heavy overcoats were in evidence in contrast with the lighter clothing which appeared with Saturday's high temperature.

Heavy frosts were reported from the interior and it was believed that the coffee crops of Sao Paulo had been damaged 25 per cent.

SNOW FALLS ONE HOUR IN WASHINGTON STATE

Wenatchee, Wash., June 29.—Snow fell for an hour and a half today in portions of the Wenatchee mountains. Fruit growers on Wenatchee heights, who could see the white blanket above them, said it was the first June snow-fall there in twenty-three years.

Mrs. Louis Schneider, wife of a Yakima sheepman, said two feet of snow fell Wednesday night on Buck Creek ridge in the Cascades above Leavenworth near here.

Glasgow—Earl Koester Drug Store opened for business at 118 Reed St.

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT

Notice is hereby given, that the undersigned, Executor of the estate of Harriet Altom, deceased, will make final settlement of his accounts with said estate as such Executor at the next term of the Probate Court of Scott County, Missouri, to be holden at Benton in said county, on the 3rd day of August, A. D. 1931.

J. F. ALTOM,
Executor.

June 26-July 3-10-17

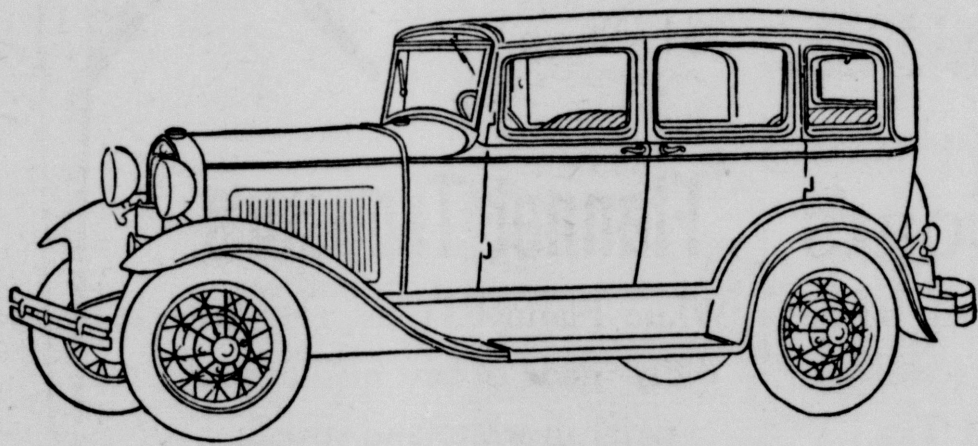
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29x4.40 (4.40-21)	\$ 4.98	\$ 9.60	29x5.25 (5.25-19)	\$8.15	\$15.80
29x4.50 (4.50-20)	5.60	10.90	31x5.25 (5.25-21)	8.57	16.70
30x4.50 (4.50-21)	5.69	11.10	28x5.50 (5.50-18)	8.75	17.00
28x4.75 (4.75-19)	6.65	12.90	29x5.50 (5.50-19)	8.90	17.30
29x4.75 (4.75-20)	6.75	13.10	32x6.00 (6.00-20) 6 ply	11.50	22.30
29x5.00 (5.00-19)	6.98	13.60	33x6.00 (6.00-21) 6 ply	11.65	22.60
30x5.00 (5.00-20)	7.10	13.80	30x3 1/2 Reg. cl. High		
28x5.25 (5.25-18)	7.90	15.30	Pressure	4.39	8.54

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C. L. BLANTON, EDITOR

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Rates:

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Yearly subscription in Scott and the
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United States.....\$2.00

AS I SEE IT

By I'm About Town

The world do move and men seems
to move with it. Two birdmen circle
the upper end of the old sphere in
four and one-third days' actual fly-
ing time, or nine days plus a few
hours actually away from pa and
ma's home cooking.

Editorial writers will now be sup-
plied with fresh copy during the hot
summer months. Post and Gatty com-
plained of "havng to make signs" for
what they wanted in some of the odd
corners of the globe. That might be
interpreted to be a boost for an inter-
national language.

In other ports the flyers complain-
ed of having to eat black bread. With-
out taking into consideration that
black bread has been on the menu in
some countries since the year one, the
fact might suggest a dumping ground
for some of that Farm Board Wheat.

Neither Post nor Gatty has indicat-
ed to this newspaper what brand of
ciggies he smoked, nor what make of
tooth paste was used to remove that
Russian Vodka film from the molars.
That comes later in special "to this
newspaper only" syndicated articles.

Nevertheless the sky blazers have
set a mark worthy of mention. Time
elapsed on the journey is approxi-
mately that required by the fastest
of fast ocean liners to make the trip
from New York to Europe.

Fifteen deaths from heat in Chica-
go Wednesday, and yet one man re-
ceived a broken leg while repairing a
snow plow in that same city. Just
grooming it for this winter though.

We wonder why Sikeston couldn't
have a munny ball league, using the
big indoor ball and the grade school
lot. It has come to our personal ob-
servation that one city of 30,000 has
such a league, and a town of about
2000 has no end of sport using the
indoor ball rules, a small lot and lots
of pep. Let's talk it up. We could
bring the old league back to life with-
out a whole lot of trouble. Play could
start at 5:30 or 6 o'clock and continue
as long as old Sol permitted. The sale
of liniment and rubbing alcohol the
first week should make it profitable
from the drug store standpoint.

Some agitation is going on to have
the City Council take action against
the Missouri Utilities Co. to have
them vacate the streets and alleys
with their poles and wires as their
franchise expired several years ago
and the Sikeston Municipal Plant is
functioning in a first class manner.
The Municipal Plant now has 840 ap-
plicants for connections and scattered
ones coming in every day. Some talk
is going the rounds that the Missouri
Utilities Co. are leaving their wires
connected to the houses believing
some dissatisfaction will develop with
the Municipal service and they will
be ready to install their meters on
short notice. In fact, it has been re-
peated that an employe of the Mis-
souri Utilities Co. stated they would
have half of the business back with
them in six months. Sikeston has a
plant of her own that has to be paid
for and the sooner they get the entire
load, the sooner it will pay for itself.

Several business places have asked
why the street sweeper couldn't be
used after business closes. Saturday
night in order that our streets could
be more sightly to strangers and vis-
itors who visit the city on Sundays.
The Saturday crowd certainly leave
the sidewalks and streets in an un-
sightly condition, so it is up to our
very efficient street commissioner as
to change in time of street sweeping.

Yes, it was some cooler Wednesday
night, but there was no evidence of a
frost.

Columbus Allsop is digging a new
pond. He says the biggest job will
be in moving his frogs and turtles
from the old one. He will have to
make two trips, as the frogs travel in
high and the turtles in low.—Commer-
cial Appeal.

The Standard is running a page ad-
vertisement this week showing and
proving a rank misstatement printed
in the American Press Association
Directory at the direction of C. H.
Denman, publisher of The Sikeston
Herald. This has to do with adver-
tising and circulation. In the same
New York publication the circulation
is given by C. H. Denman as 2400. C.
M. Harris, outside solicitor for The
Herald in the presence of Charles L.
Blanton, Jr., told Gene Potashnick,
a few weeks ago, the circulation of
The Herald was 2250. In The Stand-
ard office is an affidavit from Berry
Jordan, who worked in both offices for
a couple of years, and given one year
ago soon after The Herald closed a
contest, in which he says the circula-
tion of The Herald was 1850. Some
one of these three were wrong and if
a false statement is given out to de-
ceive or defraud, then the Postoffice
Inspectors should look after the truth-
fulness of the printed statements that
are sent through the mails.

The Standard Congratulates

Mr. and Mrs. J. Duncan Brite, 6409
Kenwood Ave., Chicago, on the birth
of a baby girl, June 1. The little lady
has been named Luna Van Eaton
Brite.

Mr. and Mrs. "Buster" Caplinger,
on the birth of a son born last Monday
evening in Jefferson City, Mo. Mr.
Caplinger is the traveling auditor for
the State Highway Commission, and
the recent arrival places R. C. "Cap"
Caplinger in the grandfather class
for the very first time. Again con-
gratulations all 'round.

Fried chicken dinner Saturday and
Sunday.—Sheppard's Cafe.

We are glad to report that Mrs.
Handy Smith's condition shows im-
provement.

Mrs. Herman Henry and Miss Ger-
aldine Waggoner attended a bridge
tea at Carbondale, Ill., Monday, re-
turning Tuesday.

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Hot weather comfort can be yours if you'll
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SIKESTON, MISSOURI

LOCAL STORM BRINGS RELIEF FROM HEAT

A local thunderstorm late Wednesday afternoon brought needed relief to parched fields nine miles south of here and temporary respite from intense heat which for the past nine days shot the mercury into the upper nineties and twice over the 100 mark. The rain in Skeston proper came about 4:45 o'clock and was of short duration.

Wind and a severe electrical storm which struck in the Noxall, Champion and Juanita neighborhood at practically the same time Wednesday. Reports state that the Scott County Milling Company warehouse was damaged by wind at Noxall, and that one side and a portion of the roof of a similar warehouse maintained by the Sikes-McMullin Grain Company at Juanita were torn away. Corn in that section was laid flat with small prospects for a comeback.

According to Oscar Carroll, who farms nine miles south of Skeston, the wind there leveled tall corn in his neighborhood, but a heavy shower was very badly needed. "It was the first good rain in four weeks in a five-mile radius of my place", said Mr. Carroll.

Chaffee received a drenching downpour which lasted a few minutes, the first in nearly five weeks. Crops are reported to be suffering for moisture in that district.

Rain fell at Crowder, but extended south only two miles. Very little rain was reported in the area northwest of Skeston.

Greenville, Mo., was in the path of the wind squall, which struck south in that city. In that place the milling company roof and one side wall were blown down. Two houses were damaged, tree limbs blown down but no one was injured. The puff came about 4:30 o'clock and lasted twenty minutes.

1913 Record Stands

Cairo, July 1.—With June ending today, the old heat record for this month established on the 18th in 1913.

PROGRAM Weeks Theatre DEXTER, MO.

Sunday and Monday, July 5 and 6
Matinee Sunday 2:30 Nights 7:30
Admission 10c and 35c

Norma Shearer in her latest picture "A FREE SOUL". A great star's greatest triumph. This picture is running at Fox Theatre this week. Also NEWS and CARTOON

Tuesday and Wednesday, July 7-8
"BACHELOR APARTMENTS" with Lowell Sherman, Irene Dunn. Also Comedy—"DON'T BITE YOUR DENTIST". One lady admitted free with each paid admission

Thursday and Friday, July 9-10
"THE LADY REFUSES" with Betty Compson, John Barrow. Comedy—"DON'T DIVORCE HIM". One lady admitted free with each paid admission.

Saturday, July 11
Tom Tyler in a western feature—"GODS COUNTRY AND MAN". Also Comedy—"DON'T LEAVE HOME" and CARTOON

Admission 10c and 25c
COMING—"DADDY LONG LEGS" with Jane Gaynor, Warner Baxter. Saturday, Sunday and Monday, July 11, 12, 13. Midnight show Saturday, the 11th. Don't miss seeing this picture



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when the thermometer at the United States weather bureau here registered 102 degrees, remained intact, although the temperature reached a ceiling of 100 Monday afternoon, compared with 99 Sunday and 98 Saturday.

At 2 p. m. today the temperature was 97, and it was not expected to reach the century mark this afternoon, much less surpass it. On the 26th and 27th day of June in 1914 there were 100 degrees of heat at Cairo.

Continued fair and warmer was the forecast of Meteorologist W. E. Barren. Showers gave temporary relief in some sections of the heat scorched area of the United States. There was a breeze in Cairo and vicinity for a while Monday night, which gave some relief.—Cairo Citizen.

LAUGHLIN-PRATT

Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Pratt of Cotter, Ark., announce the marriage of their daughter, Elizabeth, to Ray W. Laughlin, son of Mrs. Norma Laughlin, Kansas City, on Monday morning, May 11, at the home of Rev. C. T. Cotton in Topeka, Kansas, with only immediate family of bride and groom and Miss Irma Force of Springfield, Mo., attending.

The bride attended Galloway Women's College, Searcy, Ark., and Kansas City Horner Conservatory of Music, Kansas City, Mo., and is an accomplished musician. She is a member of Phi Mu Gamma sorority.

The bridegroom is a member of the Kansas City Horner Conservatory faculty. He won the Southwest dis-

trict American Federation of Music Clubs contest at Little Rock in 1929, in violin. He is a member of Phi Mu Alpha fraternity.

Mr. and Mrs. Laughlin left immediately for Cincinnati and New York, where Mr. Laughlin will be with Chi Scoggin and his Pla Mor orchestra. They will be heard over NBC. Mr. and Mrs. Laughlin will be at home at 1445 South Thirtieth St., Kansas City, Kan., September.

Mrs. J. N. Sheppard was confined to her bed Thursday, with an attack of acute indigestion.

Why cook at home these hot days? Eat good home-cooked meals at Sheppard's Cafe.

Sile Kildew tried to borrow a little money from the Tickville Bank this week, but the cashier shook his head, as the bank was already losing money.—Commercial Appeal.

Killing one wild duck from a motor boat during close season cost a Cole County hunter \$250. Arrested by a game protector of the Biological Survey, United States Department of Agriculture, he plead guilty in Federal Court at Jefferson City and was fined the \$250.

Some 300,000 deities are said to be comprised in the Hindoo pantheon.

Ellick Helwanger attended a Bible argument at the postoffice Saturday. Not knowing anything about either side, he remained neutral.—Commercial Appeal.

Woman (to friend): "I have got a splendid husband; he halves everything with me. He came home the other night with two black eyes and he had to give me one".

FOR SALE—Plums, 70c per bushel.—W. D. Hampton, 2½ miles east, ¾ miles north of Blodgett. 1tpd-78.

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WANTED—3 passengers to Dallas, San Antonio or Brownsville, Texas. Leaving July 15. One way or round trip in new Buick sedan. Cheap transportation. Write Mrs. W. D. Brown, box 324, Skeston. 1tpd-78.

FOR SALE—Used National Cash Register in good condition. A bargain.—Franklin Moore, Bank of Skeston.

FOR SALE—Police puppies. 7 weeks old. Cheap. Main house Stubblefield farm, 3 miles north, 2 miles east of Skeston.—Mrs. Graham, box 324. 1tpd-78.

LOST—June 28, between East Prairie and Dexter, brown suitcase containing women's clothing, fountain pen, beads, compacts and films. Name and address on notebook. If found notify Mayola Emory, East Prairie, Mo. Reward. 1tpd.

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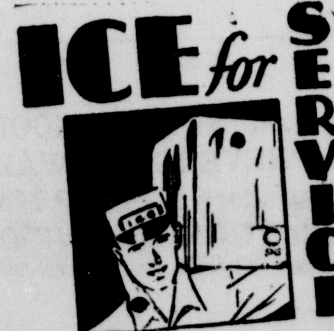
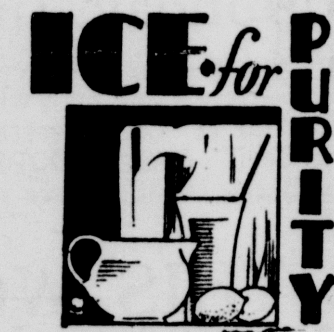
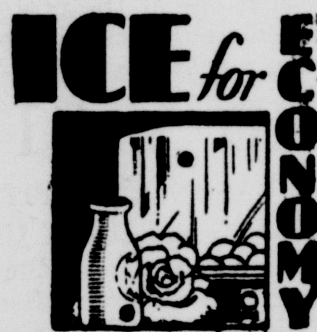
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AUNT JANE SPEAKS HER MIND

Every peace loving American citizen deplors the stupid killing of the two Mexican students. Regrets and apologies are small compensations for the two clear-eyed youths. My heart goes out to their parents and relatives. It is an embarrassing predicament for our government. It seems an unpardonable blunder and the two deputies sheriffs may pay dearly for their rashness.

Why do we have officers? Are they to protect life and property or are they armed for self-protection only? Seems to me an officer either sneaks and snoops, or is deaf and blind. All sorts of vice and violation exist and are tolerated in every town. An occasional raid is made as a gesture, but it perhaps pays better to do nothing than to do something. Business usually picks up around election time. A few goats are dragged in as examples of the officers efficient enforcement, and he asks for re-election and makes many promises. I often look at some of the officers who represent us and think we must be a sorry lot. We are guilty of electing law-violators to office and then expect them to support the law. What a joke we make of our governing business.

With hold-up men, auto thieves, kidnapers and various thugs ready to pounce upon the unwary, one should expect the traveler to be on the alert. Judging from the photographs of the participants in the Mexican tragedy, the officers look more like desperados than the students.

Will it become necessary to obtain passports in order to travel unmolested in this free country of ours? Will we have to seek the consent and approval of every minor officer in order to go through his particular territory? We may have to be labeled or placarded advertising the fact that we are peaceful citizens. It might be well to have an inspection service and be given a "trade mark" by which officers could recognize us.

America needs good government. We must elect level-headed responsible men to bring this about. A good sheriff can appoint a hair-trigger, adle-pate for a deputy and cause all sorts of trouble. This Mexican affair ought to be a lesson to every officer in the country.

—AUNT JANE.

Ambassador Gibson, speaking at Yale University, thinks that the fear and pride of fifty-seven nations will make the limitation of armaments a long, evolutionary proceeding. He finds, however, that the present is inclined toward anything of a revolutionary character. There may be hope in revolution, rather than in evolution, so far as getting the nations to work with smaller fighting forces is concerned. A good example of substituting revolution for evolution, to the advantage of all involved, is found in the fact that it has proven better to cut off lambs' tails than to try to breed tailless lambs. Someone may yet suggest an equally effective road to arms reduction.

A Maryland mother is coming in for some sharp criticism, because she let her four year old boy sleep comfortably in jail, as a punishment for being an incorrigible runaway. If she had given him an unmerciful paddling, she would have been hailed as a repository of ancient Solomonic wisdom. Four years of age is not too early to learn, by a far more humane method, that there is woe a-plenty for the wrong-doer, just beyond the cottage door.

Adjacent newspaper columns record that ten residents of New York City were drowned on a single hot Sunday, and that over in London they are honoring the memory of Capt. John Smith, sometime governor of Virginia, on the three hundredth anniversary of his death. One wonders whose name will be venerated three hundred years from the date of the ten drownings. Perhaps it will be the name of the man who made bathing safe. He has more work to accomplish than John Smith had in order to get his cognomen on the address book of Fame.

The Skeston Standard, \$1.50 per year

PALACE IN VIRGINIA!

Williamsburg, Va.—Digging into mounds and weedy banks here excavators have uncovered foundations and floors of the royal governor's palace and a mysterious passageway suggesting a secret exit for the king's rulers of Virginia in the pre-Revolutionary days.

The palace, erected about 1700, one of the first buildings in the old capital, was considered the finest structure in America until it was destroyed by fire shortly after the Revolution. In the years since then the ruins have been completely covered by earth and vegetation. Recently John D. Rockefeller, Jr., started restoration.

Several feet under the present surface workmen's picks struck the foundations. These have been uncovered, little damage by the ravages of time. Even the marble floor, on which dignified colonial by the discovery, the excavators gentlemen in powdered wigs bowed gallantly to beautiful ladies, was found intact.

In attempting to locate the old deer park and formal gardens in the rear, skeletons of 90 men were discovered. It is thought they were buried there after dying in the palace, which was used as a hospital during the siege of Yorktown.

The mysterious passageway was found when workmen dug into a tree-covered mound near the palace. As they probed downward into the earth and scooped up shovel after shovel of dirt they at last uncovered a brick-walled opening.

Around it was a wooden doorway opening into a 15-foot tunnel. From the tunnel, penetrating inward and downward, was a brick-line shaft about 12 feet in diameter. Their imaginations stimulated continued digging—hopeful that they might find an underground chamber or some hidden retreat which would solve the riddle of the passage.

They are still digging. Down some 35 feet now, they have not reached the end of the shaft, nor have archaeologists been able to determine for what purpose it was used.

The suggestion has been made, however, that it may have been a secret exit from the palace 200 yards away, used by the king's governors in escaping from danger.

As the excavating continues, interest in the project is increasing, many hoping that unguessed secrets of colonial intrigue and the royal rulers will be discovered. The restoration will be continued until all important features of the palace and surroundings are again revealed.

"HAVE YOU HEARD THIS ONE?"

From time immemorial housewives have been solicited on what is known as the "enlarged picture and frame scheme". It comes in many guises.

Of-times a lady will ring your door bell and offer you an opportunity to draw from several envelopes, stating that if you are lucky enough to draw one containing a certain "special advertising coupon", you will be entitled to an enlarged picture without cost.

Very often the sales person's opening statement is "we would like to present you free of charge a beautiful hand-tinted enlargement of any photograph that you care to give us".

Such offerings usually meet with the natural question on the part of the housewife of "how can you afford to do this?" The solicitor replies that this is a special advertising offer made for the purpose of introducing his or her company's product into the home and that the picture will be delivered without cost.

The trick in the scheme is that you are inveigled into accepting a coupon containing some very fine printed matter in which you agree to buy a frame for the picture. Through this method you pay a good price for both the frame and the picture.

Estimates, secured by The Better Business Bureau, of frames sold in this manner indicate that the frames are priced sufficiently high to return a substantial profit to the company on the entire transaction.

Housewives who are solicited on this scheme are urged to report their experiences promptly to The Better Business Bureau of St. Louis.

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FREE MOVIE SHOWS
FORD AUTO PLANT

A sound motion picture graphically portraying the story of the Ford Motor Company and its widespread activities will be exhibited free of charge in a special Ford exhibit to be held at the Scott County Motor Co.

show room beginning Monday and continuing through Tuesday. The show will be open to the public from 8 a. m. to 9 p. m.

The picture, entitled "A Tour Thru the Ford Factory" will show the gathering of raw materials, their arrival at the Rouge Plant in Dearborn, Mich., and the numerous interesting stages through which they pass in the process of making Ford cars and trucks. It is, in short, an education in the extent and meaning of modern volume production.

While an unseen voice explains each scene, the audience is taken on a tour of the plant, through the great blast furnace building where ore is converted into iron; into the open hearth building where the iron becomes steel and is poured, a white hot liquid, into moulds; into the blooming mill where the steel ingots are made into bars; and into the rolling mill in which the long bars of white hot steel are reduced to definite sizes. Forty kinds of steel, each of a composition to serve a definite purpose, are used in the Ford car and truck.

The picture shows also the manufacture of glass in an endless unbroken strip, a process developed by Ford engineers; the machine shops in which parts for the cars are manufactured; the pressed steel building with its gigantic presses; and the coke ovens and other units in which by-products are recovered to the extent of millions of dollars annually.

Throughout the picture one sees literally miles and miles of conveyors which take much of the manual labor off the backs of men. There are conveyors carrying newly arrived materials into the plant, others taking parts from one building to another, and, of course, the final assembly line, that famous conveyor on which the parts are put together to form the completed car.

In addition to the picture, there will be a representative line of Ford cars and trucks and display boards containing car and truck parts.

The cars alone are well worth a visit for they include body types to suit any taste and to meet any occasion. Particularly attractive are the de luxe cars in which upholstery ap-

pointments are of a kind and quality usually found only in more expensive automobiles.

All the body types are featured by the Ford's new beauty of line and color. The deep radiator, the wide generous fenders, and the graceful sweeping lines of the bodies contribute to a pleasing whole. The cars may be obtained in a variety of color combinations.

A clean mind does not at all times take suggestion of an action as it is suggestive of.

TAKE HER OUT TO DINE
AT LEAST ONCE A WEEK

At least one evening off for the wife and mother.

All industries stand for more time off every week.

The working week has been generally reduced in the last few years until some Unions allow their members to work only forty hours a week.

During all this agitation, however, there never has been a mention of giving Mother any time off from her continuous round of housewifery duties.

She is supposed to work as many hours as are necessary to provide for the numerous and incessant demands which are made by keeping house and raising a family.

Special dinner every Sunday 60c from 11 a. m. to 8 p. m.

Take her out to dine at least once a week—Ilan-Ha Cafe, George Parker, Prop., 403 Broadway, Cape Girardeau, Mo.—ADV.

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Men in battle who dared death—women at home braving all for love. Theirs was the ideal love-trusting, passionate, whole-souled. Then intrigue and war. Devotion smashed, the girl of German descent torn from the young American plantation owner. Just one of the profoundly-moving stories in the extraordinary drama of five doughboys on the brink of death who would re-live or undo burning episodes out of the past.

"BEYOND VICTORY"

with BILL BOYD, JAMES GLEASON, ZASU PITTS, LEW CODY, MARION SHILLING and MARY CARR.

A stupendous dialogue production contrasting the hell of No Man's Land with the beauties and charm of peace—a great theme splendidly visualized.

Paramount Talkartoon "SILLY SCANDALS" and episode No. 6—

"PHANTOM OF THE WEST"

Continuous Show 2:30 to 11 p. m.

Sunday and Monday, July 5 and 6

Careless kisses—Impulsive marriage—Easy divorce! It takes a strong man to hold his woman these days. Here's one man who does—see how! Together! The strong, virile star of "City Streets". The exquisite blond enchantress of "Up Pops the Devil". GARY COOPER and CAROLE LOMBARD in Mary Roberts Rinehart's thrilling love story based on her own best-seller novel.

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A man and a girl fight desperately against love until love conquers them. Its throbbing action sweeps across a continent—into every heart! Also Burns and Allen in "PULLING A BONE", Laurel and Hardy in "OUR WIFE".

Matinees: Sunday 2:30 Monday 3 p. m.

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MR. ADVERTISER--WHAT IS YOUR MEDIUM?

LOCAL AND PERSONAL FROM CHARLESTON

Miss Myrtle Goodin is visiting in St. Louis.

Mrs. Nell Padgett is spending this week in St. Louis.

Mrs. Carabell Bayley has returned from a visit in St. Louis.

Pedro Simmons and Julius Wigdor spent Sunday in Harrisburg, Ill.

Miss Isabell Edelen is the guest of her aunt, Miss Elizabeth Burns.

Mrs. F. J. Wilkinson has returned from a visit in Clarksville, Tenn.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ashby have returned from a visit in St. Louis.

Stanley Jenkins of Texas will visit friends in this city the latter part of the week.

Mrs. Mary Thompson has returned from a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Leslie in Oran.

James Mulkey has gone to Madison, Wis., where he entered the State University for the summer term.

Marion Rowe of El Paso, Texas arrived here Monday for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Rowe.

Mrs. Wm. Borchelt and little daughter, Mary Frances, of Cape Girardeau were week-end guests of Mrs. Nell Lett.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Jones and daughters, Misses Helen and Barbara Mae, were visitors in Clay, Ky., Sunday.

Mrs. L. S. Olian and children, who have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Wigdor left Sunday for their home in Alton, Ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Westly Lair, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Love and Mr. and Mrs. Herman Mattingly, Jr., spent Sunday at Reelfoot Lake, Tenn.

Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Huston and son, Wilburn of Louisiana, will spend the Fourth in this city with Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Brewer and other friends.

Mr. and Mrs. James Thurmond and Stanley Jenkins of Texas will arrive Thursday to be the week-end guests of Col. and Mrs. Paul B. Moore.

Mrs. L. B. Kornegger and Miss Laura Catherine Kornegger of Sikeston, who have been guests of Mrs. G. W. Kirk, have returned to their homes.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Priest of Detroit, Mich., who have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Priest at Bird's Mill, have gone to Fulton, Ky., to visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Tanner and sons of Georgia, were week-end guests of Mrs. Rachel Finley. They were enroute to Chicago, Ill., to spend the summer.

Mrs. J. H. Wilkerson and children of Houston, Texas and Mrs. R. L. Boston of San Antonio, Texas are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Caldwell.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Moore were host and hostesses to their bridge club Thursday evening. The only club visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lair, Jr. Refreshments were served.

Miss Gwendolyn Kirk, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Kirk, is visiting in Sikeston this week, the guest of Mrs. L. B. Kornegger and Miss Laura Catherine Kornegger.

Sterrett Davis and sister, Mrs. John Joe Russell, who were called here last week by the serious illness of their mother, Mrs. Fred Davis, have returned to their home in Batesville, Arkansas.

Mesdames J. M. Mosley and C. C. Hearn of San Antonio, Texas and Mesdames C. M. Cleavenger and H. P. Jagers of Dallas, Texas, who are the house guests of Mrs. John Harris Marshall were the honorees of a most enjoyable reception given Friday afternoon from 3:30 to 5:30 o'clock by Mrs. Marshall in her home on East Marshall street. Sweet peas arranged in silver bowls and tall floor baskets filled with gladiolus were used in decoration of the living room, where Mrs. Marshall and guests and Mrs. W. T. Marshall stood to receive the guests. The other reception room and halls were decorated in roses, daisies and larkspur. In the dining room a color motif of yellow and green was effectively carried out. The appointed table with its lovely cloth of cut work and filet lace, had a central decoration of Queen Anne's lace tinted green and arranged in a silver bowl. Burning tall yellow tapers in low silver holders, cast a soft glow over the table. Mesdames Ralph Carson, Paul Hummel, E. H. Orear, A. H. Marshall, J. M. Cullison and Joe Howlett of this city and Mrs. Moore Greer of Sikeston served ices in the form of lilies, cake and mints in the shades of yellow and green. Mrs. Byron Howlett at the piano rendered popular music during the after-

noon. Some seventy-five guests called during the hours. Out-of-town guests were Mrs. Sanford Andrews of Oklahoma City, Okla., and Mrs. Albert Wilkinson of Cairo.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL FROM MATTHEWS

Miss Hazel Mitchell of Hayti is visiting Miss Helen Deane this week.

Everybody is busy threshing wheat now and they say it is turning out fine.

Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Fox of Sikeston spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Claude Mize.

A large number from here attended the Epworth League banquet at Oran Tuesday night.

Mrs. Orville Fulkerson and little son of California visited relatives in Matthews this week.

Mrs. Ella Prouty returned to her home in Sikeston, after several days' visit here with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Shirley Dovers returned Saturday to their home in St. Louis, after a week's visit here with relatives.

Little J. R. Byrd had the misfortune to break his arm last Tuesday by falling from a tree. The little fellow is getting along fine.

Miss Verna King, who is attending summer school in Memphis, Tenn., spent the week-end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. King.

The program at the Christian church Sunday night was well attended, the house being crowded. The numbers were good and the music was especially enjoyed by those present.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Dance and children left for their home in Decatur, Ill., Tuesday, after a visit of several days here with her mother, Mrs. Achley and sister, Mrs. Tom Holderby.

Clifford Reed and Miss Leona Gaines stole a march on their friends by slipping off to Cape Girardeau and ple have a host of friends who wish getting married. These young peo- their happiness.

Members of the Epworth League enjoyed a swimming party on the east ditch Friday night. After the swim, the young folks served sandwiches and soda. Rev. Garrison and wife chaperoned the crowd.

THE EIGHT POINTS OF THE LIONS CODE OF ETHICS

1. To show my faith in the worthiness of my vocation by industrious application to the end that I may merit a reputation for quality of service.

2. To seek success and to demand all fair remuneration or profit as my just due, but to accept no profit or success at the price of my own self-respect lost because of unfair advantage taken or because of questionable acts on my part.

3. To remember that in building up my business it is not necessary to tear down another's; to be loyal to my clients or customers and true to myself.

4. Whenever a doubt arises as to the right or ethics of my position or action towards my fellow man, to resolve such doubt against myself.

5. To hold friendship as an end and not a means. To hold that true friendship exists not on account of the service in the spirit in which it is given.

6. Always to bear in mind my obligations as a citizen to my nation, my

State and my community, and to give them my unswerving loyalty in word, act and deed. To give them freely of my time, labor and means.

7. To aid my fellow men by giving my sympathy to those in distress, my aid to the weak, and my substance to the needy.

8. To be careful with my criticisms and liberal with my praise; to build up and not destroy.

HOOVER ADVISES FIXED POLICY FOR SELLING WHEAT

Washington, June 27.—Faced with a request by President Hoover to consider a more definite policy for disposing of stabilization wheat, Chairman Stone of the Farm Board said tonight no decision would be reached until a review of the domestic and foreign situation had been completed.

Stone said the survey was now under way and probably would be completed by July 1.

President Hoover today suggested to the board that "in view of the unusual conditions growing out of the depression", the board should consider a more definite policy for disposing of the huge stocks of wheat held by the Grain Stabilization Corporation.

Immediately after the White House statement Stone summoned the board into the night session.

The chairman and Mr. Hoover went over the domestic wheat situation at a conference yesterday morning, but both withheld details.

A flood of demands that the board pledge itself to hold the 200,000,000 or more bushels of wheat off domestic markets for a definite period have come to the President and the board.

Senators and Representative from the wheat States joined in this demand.

The White House statement said: "Although President Hoover has no authority in determining the policies of the Farm Board he has suggested to the board, in view of unusual conditions growing out of the depression, that he thought it wise for it to consider a more definite policy in respect to sales of the holdings of the

Stabilization Corporation. The board is considering the matter".

The appeals for a promise that the wheat will be held ranged from a fixed period of four months to one year. Some asked that there be no selling until the price had reached \$1.

The President has been told by grain traders and growers that the price of domestic cereal would advance at least 10 cents a bushel immediately if a new agreement is announced.

A week ago, in response to Kansas pleas, the board said it would adhere to its present policy, adopted March 23, of handling the stabilization supplies "in such a way as to impose the minimum burden on domestic and world markets".

The board has felt it wanted to be free to take advantage of any favorable trade developments to dispose of the stocks and contended the March

23 policy did not imply that wheat would be "dumped" to depress prices.

Stone has said wheat will be sold abroad if there is a market and its sale does not affect prices adversely.

Those who have asked for a new policy, however, are not concerned so much with foreign selling.

Senator Watson of Indiana, the Republican majority leader, conferred with Stone yesterday and later with President Hoover, urging withholding of the supplies until the new crop movement is over. He said Stone had indicated no such promise would be made, and added that Mr. Hoover had intimated he would not intervene.

The Grain Stabilization Corporation began buying wheat to steady falling prices in February, 1930, and stayed in the market until June 3 of this month.

With a heavy 1931 crop in prospect, its holdings early last winter became

a target for attacks. It was claimed the corporation's wheat constituted a depressing threat to already low prices.

Shartel Asks Hoover to Hold Wheat For Six Months

Jefferson City, June 27.—Stratton Shartel, Attorney General of Missouri, today wired President Hoover urging the Federal Farm Board to definitely agree to hold up the sale of its wheat for at least six months.

"There are so many farmers who cannot afford to hold their crop", said the Attorney General. "Being in contact with many farmers in business and owning considerable and myself, I feel that I am in a position to express the opinion that such action will be of great benefit to the Missouri farmers".

The Standard \$1.50 per year.

CAIRO GOLF MATCH POSTPONED UNTIL AUGUST

According to an announcement made Wednesday by C. C. Scott, an invitation golf match here with the Cairo, Ill., Country Club originally scheduled for July 5 has been postponed until about August 23. The latter date has not received an OK by Cairo golf executives.

Cairo is scheduled to meet the locals on the Sikeston course July 26.

Similarly a round robin match with the Dexter Club has been postponed from July 19 until August 16.

In commenting on the suggested changes, Scott stated that an unusual number of Sikeston players expect to be away on vacation trips during the first two or three weeks of July, and postponement of the schedule followed accordingly.

2.20 Overalls

Men's sizes, made of good, heavy 2.20 denim; triple stitched, and bar tacked at all strain points. Full cut; special

59c



TRACK PANTS SLEEVELESS SHIRTS

Knit sleeveless shirts, and printed broadcloth shorts made the ideal summer underwear. Our stock of sizes and styles is complete, at

25c Each

This Is A Season of "Sales"---But It Will Be Many A Day Before You Find Values Like These!

When it seems that every store feels that it must yell "Sale" at the top of its voice, the steady growth of our business has been very gratifying to us. We almost said the growth had surprised us; but that would not be so, for we have always based our business on a belief that people will trade where they can secure the best values all the time. That is the store we try to operate; one free from sensational stunts and misleading exaggerations, but one filled with real, worthwhile values. This ad contains some more reasons why business is ALWAYS good at Greener's

A New Shipment of Summer Dresses of VOILE

Every woman knows that no material is so cool for summer wear as voile; and dresses like these prove to the most fastidious that that comfort is gained without any sacrifice of smartness. You'll like these rich, softly colored prints, (in fast colors, of course), and you'll be surprised that they are priced at only

And For the Very Little Lady

For quite a while we have been having calls for lightweight dresses for smaller girls; frocks that had real style, yet were inexpensively priced. The answer is these new dresses, in sizes 3 to 6 years. They are made from exquisite fast color voiles, trimmed in organdy, and are novel and interesting in design. The prices, for party dresses or plain styles, are

If Her Age Is 7 to 14 Years

She will find dozens of beautiful dresses in Greener's stock, at these low prices. Including prints, voiles, organdies, Swisses and broadcloths, the range of style is wide enough for any taste; and the prices are only

We are still selling those beautiful silk dresses at \$3.95 and \$6.95. Styles that offer you a big saving. Don't fail to see them.



Just Badly Bent!

If your fenders are in such a state, bring them to Boyer Auto Service and let us restore to them their own graceful curves! The cost is very little, and your car will seem like new again.

Estimates Given

PHONE 614
Boyer Auto Service
DAY AND NIGHT

Bathing Suits For the Entire Family

Splendidly made suits cut in athletic style, for men or women. In gray, red and blue. There is a big group priced at only

98c

In all sizes for girls and boys, the same character suit, in red, green and blue, is greatly underpriced when offered at only

50c

BATHING CAPS

Two style, either one obtainable in a wide range of colors; the difference being in the weight of the rubber. Special at Greener's

10c and 25c

BATH TOWELS

Good size, white with colored borders, good weight and very durable. Greener's low price

10c

PICNIC SUPPLIES

We haven't space to list the items we show—plates, cups, forks and spoons, ice cream sets and picnics sets; paper napkins, and dozens of other useful and necessary articles. All are priced at the lowest figures; come to Greener's first.

The Vogue is White Hats

And among white hats, nothing quite takes the place of the plain, wide-brimmed panamam with black or colored band. We have just received a new shipment of these, and they are real bargains at

\$1.98



A Special Group of Cool Voile Underthings

We offer in this group teddies and panties of silk stripe voile that we bought at a large concession—they were made to sell for at least 49c. In white and pastel shades. They are going at Greener's, while they last, for only

25c

Field Hats

Any style one could wish, for men, women, boys or girls; and the prices are lower than ever before! If you will look through our stock, you will find just what you have been looking for, priced somewhere between

15c to 69c

Dress Shirts

Made of white or printed broadcloth, collar attached style, in all sizes from 14 to 17. Full cut, well made, and the equal of shirts selling for much more. Special

59c

Black and White Striped Pants

Just opened a complete range of these popular summer pants. All sizes, made with big legs, wide waistband, with buckle back. Greener's low price

\$1.50

BOYS' SUN SUITS

A group of suits that includes not only our regular 59c styles, but a number of suits that have just been marked down from 98c. In all sizes from 3 to 8, in many models, they are bargains at

59c

There's Value In These Men's Straws

Our showing at this very low price includes both Yeddos and soft straws, the latter in gray, tan or white. Good shapes, and the price makes them outstanding values.

\$1.00

Men's High Grade Milans—But Modestly Priced

There is real quality as well as unusual style in these hats. They may be had in white, tan or gray, in Optimo or Fifth Avenue shape and the price is only

\$2.98



Organized SAVING...

Our Fully Paid Certificates offer ideal employment for lump sums for the investor whose needs require semi-annual dividends. The Funds are quickly available without discount.

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SIKESTON, MO.

Offering Employment For

Idle Money

Fully Paid Coupon Certificates

JULY
Swung from all doubts and jealousy is he who claims July as his natal month and owns a glowing ruby.

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Sikeston Baseball Nine Wins Ninth Straight Game By Defeating Chaffee 16-5

The Sikeston Independents last Sunday placed the ninth straight victory on their string by defeating the Chaffee nine 16 to 5.

Lefty Fidler was moundman for the locals. He allowed eleven safeties, but kept them scattered. The local boys found Birger, the same Birger who held the Sikeston team to four hits at Anna, Ill., last season, for 21 knocks and a total of 16 tallies.

Wilmoth led the locals with hits, getting two triples, two doubles and two singles out of six times at bat.

The box score:

SIKESTON	AB	R	H	E
B. Crain, cf	6	3	1	0
O. Clinton, 2b	6	1	1	0
Wilmoth, ss	6	3	6	1
J. Crain, 3b	6	1	1	0
Sexton, 1b	6	2	4	1
P. Crain, lf	3	0	0	0
Smith, rf	3	0	0	0
F. Clinton, c	5	1	2	1
Fidler, p	5	3	3	0
Payne, rf	3	2	3	0
Lee, lf	3	0	0	0

Total 52 16 21 3

CHAFFEE	AB	R	H	E
Roberts, ss	5	1	1	0
Head, 1b	4	0	2	0
Carle, cf	5	1	1	0
Brown, c	4	0	1	0
Birger, p	4	0	1	2
Hood, rf	4	0	1	0
Pfeffkorn, 3b	4	1	0	2
Roney, 2b	4	1	2	2
Hues, lf	4	1	2	0

Total 38 5 11 6
Summary: 3-base hits, Wilmoth 2, B. Crain 1, Head 1. Two-base hits: Wilmoth 2, O. Clinton 1, F. Clinton

FATHER DRIVES WHILE WOMAN SHOPS; CANT FIND PARKING SPACE

What might be interpreted as an advertisement for Sikeston is reported by The Standard's Morley correspondent. A family from that city was in Sikeston one evening recently and desiring to do some shopping sought a parking place on several streets. Failing to find room to park, the father was compelled to keep on driving around while the mother did the family buying.

FIRST COTTON BLOOM PICKED ON TUESDAY

C. T. Howard brought to The Standard office Wednesday morning two cotton blooms from the Mayme Marshall farm near Crowder, that were picked Tuesday. In this field of 100 acres Mr. Howard informs us were a number of blooms. The entire field is fine for this time of year.

W. H. Deane from Matthews was a business visitor Wednesday. He reports some cotton blossoms in that neighborhood; also, that a good, general rain is badly needed in that section.

A phone message from the office of E. P. Coleman Wednesday afternoon brought the information that "first" cotton blossoms were found that morning on a 45-acre tract, farmed by Jennie Johnson, just west of Matthews.

The past week of excessively high temperatures has hurt corn to some extent, but cotton growers are jubilant. It's cotton weather. Fields are exceptionally clean, stands good and prospects for a good crop are bright.

Caruthersville, July 1.—The first cotton blooms of the 1931 crop are reported to have been taken to Braggadocio last Wednesday. Two were on a single stalk, and grown on the farm of Earl Long.

METHODIST CHURCH

11:00—"The Mind of God".
9:30—Sunday school. Classes for all.

7:00—The Epworth League will sponsor a Vesper service, to which every one is invited. It will be held in the church yard lawn in front of the church. This will be only on Sunday evenings during the months of July and August.

As we are having only the morning service let our people attend.
J. F. E. BATES, Pastor.

1, Sexton 1, Payne 1, Head 1. Base on balls off Fidler 1. Hit by pitched ball, Carle. Hits off Fidler 11, off Birger 21. Batteries: Fidler and F. Clinton for Sikeston. Birger and Brown for Chaffee.

No game had been scheduled for Sunday up to Wednesday evening. On July 12 the locals travel to Bloomfield.

ABOUT READY TO COMPLETE LEVEE AT BREWER'S LAKE

It is expected the work of extending the setback levee across the present roadway in the vicinity of Brewer's lake, will be started within a week. The levee has been brought to this point on both sides of the road and the construction of a detour is to be completed before the present roadway is blocked. It was thought today that the detour would be completed some time within the next week and the work of filling in the roadway gap will be started then.

LARGEST DREDGING MACHINE IS ON JOB NEAR CAPE GIRARDEAU

Cape Girardeau, Mo.—A giant dredging machine, described as the largest of its kind in the world, will soon begin dredging work to help rebuild the levee along the Little River diversion channel, south of Cape Girardeau.

This modern earth-handling unit handles 10 cubic yards of earth at one operation. The machine, which cost \$250,000, has a main boom of 165 feet. About 50 men will be needed to handle the machine on the levee.

POPLAR BLUFF STORES WILL CLOSE JULY 4

All G. A. Stores in Poplar Bluff, and virtually every other grocery establishment in the city has agreed to close all day Saturday, according to C. D. Ghoslon of the G. A. organization.

Poplar Bluff business in general will suspend Saturday. Special offerings will be available Friday, and stores will remain open until 9 p. m. Friday to take care of late trade. Friday, in reality, will be like Saturday in Poplar Bluff.

SIKESTON GIRL LEAVES ON EUROPEAN TOUR

Miss Dixy Massengill, daughter of Attorney and Mrs. J. M. Massengill, left Monday night for New York City, where she will embark on July 4 for Liverpool, England on the White Star liner Britanic.

Miss Massengill is a member of a party which will visit England, Holland, France, Germany, Belgium and Switzerland.

APPENDICITIS FATAL TO WARNER WILLIAM FERRELL, 4

Warner William, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Ferrell of near Miner, died July 1 at the Emergency Hospital, after a short illness with appendicitis. He was born July 28, 1926 and died at the age of 4 years, 11 months and 4 days. Surviving are his parents, three brothers and one sister.

Funeral services were conducted at the residence Thursday morning at 10:30 o'clock with interment in Memorial Park Cemetery, Sikeston, Welsh in charge.

MORLEY MAN IS HEAT VICTIM LAST SUNDAY

Charles Summers, 70 years old, resident of Morley, died last Sunday from heat prostration. This was the first death in this district during the week of high temperatures.

Carl Dvais and family of Des Moines, Ia., are spending the week in Sikeston with Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Davis, parents of Carl. The Standard acknowledges a call from he and his sister, Miss Madge Davis.

Misses Hazel Young and Adajean Bowman are entertaining with a party at the Young home Friday evening, complimenting Miss Lucille Sadler of Malden, who is visiting her sister, Mrs. Wiley Wilkerson.

A. B. MILLS IS HEAT VICTIM

The record breaking June heat wave which consistently carried temperatures in this district up to and over the 100 mark, claimed the life of Aaron Burr Mills, section crew workman of Chaffee Wednesday afternoon about 3.30 o'clock. Mills, the section foreman and another workman were engaged in cutting a steel rail when Mills was overcome. He died thirty minutes later.

The deceased was born February 4, 1894 and was married to Mrs. Straudie Carmody April 22, 1917. The family lived in Chaffee about five years, moving to Oran, where they lived three years. March last, Mr. and Mrs. Mills moved to Brickleys.

His brothers, Ben and Walter Mills of Matthews, the family homestead, accompanied the body to that place Wednesday night. Funeral services will be conducted Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock with Rev. Garrison of the Methodist church officiating. Interment in the Matthews Cemetery, Albritton of Sikeston in charge.

Surviving are his wife and six children, his father of West Plains, Ben and Walter Mills of Matthews, two brothers of Gary, Ind., one brother of Kentucky and three sisters.

Cairo, Ill., July 1.—Henry Worthington, 60 years old, died of heat exhaustion today, making the first casualty of the hot wave which continued unabated today with the temperature threatening to pass the 100 mark.

Jefferson City, July 1.—Guy H. Carlson, 65 years old, a salesman of St. Louis, died at St. Mary's Hospital last night of heat prostration. The temperature here yesterday was 103 degrees.

Louisiana, Mo., July 1.—Alvie Wells, 63 years old, was overcome by the heat while plowing corn on the farm of Charles Edmonds on Salt River, three miles north of here today. He died soon after being removed from the field to the farm house. This makes the second death of farmers here from heat exhaustion during the current hot weather.

Galesburg, Ill., July 1.—John Smith, a laborer, died today a heat victim, and left more than \$12,000. There was no will, and no relatives have been found. Unless claimants appear, the money will go to Knox County.

Kansas City, Mo., July 1.—John J. Dailey, 55, a World War veteran, was found dead in his room today. Roy Casey, Deputy Coroner, said the heat caused his death.

Decatur, Ill., July 1.—Hottest spot in America yesterday, Decatur again today boasted a 105 official temperature, equaling yesterday's hottest. Seven had died of the heat in the seven days just passed, each of which sent the mercury over 100.

DeKalb, Ill., July 1.—The first two deaths from heat in De Kalb County were reported by Coroner R. P. Culver. Pedil Connerly, 22 years old, of Xenia, died on a farm three miles east of here after being stricken while working in the field. Paul Johnson, 70, was found dead at home in Genoa after neighbors had missed him since Sunday.

Palmyra, Mo., July 1.—C. J. Johnson died suddenly of heat exhaustion at his home near here today.

Dixon, Ill., July 1.—Jens Neilsen, 61 years old, a farmer, and Elmer Uhl, 67, contractor, died today, their death attributed to the heat.

Peoria, Ill., July 1.—Three deaths brought the total of heat victims for the season to 17 here. The mercury soared to 100 for the seventh consecutive day.

Hannibal, Mo., July 1.—After breaking all June records for this region yesterday with a temperature of 102, a break in two weeks of excessive heat was promised by tomorrow by the local United State Weather Bureau.

Marshall, Mo., July 1.—August Wichart, 50 years old, fell dead while working in a garden at Mount Leonard, west of here. Physicians said the extreme heat caused his death.

BOLT KILLS MULES, FARMER RECOVERS

Archie Alleston, plowing corn on the R. T. "Dode" Wainman farm during the thunderstorm Wednesday afternoon was struck by lightning which killed both mules hitched to the cultivator. Alleston was brought to the Emergency Hospital in the Wainman car, and after an hour began to show signs of recovery. He left the hospital Thursday morning for his home on the Tom Gardner farm. Dr. Kendig stated that the lightning struck Alleston at the back of the head.

LUTESVILLE FARMER STRUCK BY LIGHTNING

Clarence Swann of near Glen Allen was being treated at Lutesville today, where hope is held for his recovery after being struck by lightning late Tuesday afternoon. Swann was knocked from his horse near his home during a severe electrical storm, and was unconscious for nearly an hour. His son, Clarence, Jr., and Coy Shetley were touched by the bolt, but escaped injury.

EVANGELIST MEETING OPENS IN BIG TENT

Monday night marked the opening of the evangelistic meeting in the big brown tent at Stoddard and Front Streets when a fine crowd greeted the evangelists in their opening service. Tuesday night the crowd was more than double in number over the Monday night attendance. Wednesday night the threatening storm cut in on the attendance, but the services went on just the same. Those that came expecting to hear the bombastic type of evangelism so often heard were disappointed for they found a man forceful and eloquent and effective in his speech, fearless and unafraid and unimpaired in the denunciation of sin, yet he never indulged in vituperative abuse. No one would have to listen to Dr. Hamilton the second time to be impressed by his kindly spirit, his genuine sincerity of heart, honesty of purpose of winning men and women to the cause of Jesus Christ. Already people have been in attendance from the nearby towns. A delegation is expected to visit the meeting from Malden early next week.

Dr. Hamilton announced his subjects for the next three days as follows Friday night, "Why I believe the Bible to be the Word of God"; Saturday night, "God, Mammon, Devil or Self, Whom Do You Serve?"; Sunday, "Is There Room for Jesus in Sikeston?"

Beginning next Tuesday morning at 9:00 o'clock, Mr. Fleming, the song director, will conduct meetings for boys and girls in the big tent. In Malden the average attendance was over two hundred in these meetings. The big chorus choir got under way and it will be one of the big attractions in the meeting. There will be no service conducted Sunday morning or afternoon.

SUSIE V. ROBERTS

Mrs. Susie V. Roberts, wife of Collins Roberts, resident of Canolou, died at her home in that place last Friday after an illness of about six weeks. She was born March 18 1877 and died at the age of 47 years, 3 months and 8 days. Her husband and three children survive.

Funeral services were conducted Sunday morning, 9 o'clock at the Canolou Pentecostal church with Rev. Mrs. Ethel Westbrook officiating. Interment in Memorial Park Cemetery with Albritton in charge.

Library Closed Saturday

The Library will be closed Saturday on account of it being a National holiday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Anderson and children returned from Jacksonville, Ill., Wednesday evening. Mrs. Huckabee returned with them and will remain for a visit.

Mrs. George Donnell, who has been living in the Russell property on West Front Street, has moved to the Murray Tanner home on Lake and Sikes avenue. Mr. and Mrs. Paul Bowman and family have moved to the house recently vacated by Mrs. Donnell.

QULIN MAN SAYS HE THINKS HIS MULE IS OLDEST

Qulin, Mo., July 1.—John Huey, of Qulin, is entering his mule in the old age contest.

Huey begs to differ with another farmer who recently claimed to own the oldest mule in this county. Huey has one that was 31 years old May 15.

And not only that, but the mule works every day Huey needs her. He says that when he lets the mule out on the range, it takes two men to catch her. She is still full of life, regardless of the fact that she has been old enough to vote for ten years. —American Republic.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Noonan and children will leave Monday to spend a week near Doniphan on Current River.

Mrs. P. H. Daniells and son are leaving for Anaconda, Montana tonight (Thursday) for a couple of months' visit.

Miss Lillian Cresap Bailey of St. Louis is the guest of Mrs. Lucille Jackson. Miss Bailey was formerly a resident of this city.

You go to the picture show to see aid hear. If you are not visiting Week's Theatre, Dexter, you may not see and hear the best.

The bazaar and bingo party held on the school grounds Tuesday evening by the Catholic ladies was well attended and a nice sum realized.

Mrs. A. J. Moore, Franklin and Miss Henrietta Moore attended the funeral of Jimmie Hux at Essex funeral of Jimmie Hux at Essex.

Miss Sara Wilson was the guest of Mrs. Roy V. Ellise from Sunday until Wednesday. Mrs. Ellise complimented Miss Wilson at bridge Tuesday afternoon.

Miss Wilma Toney returned to her home in Washington, Ind., Monday night, after a delightful visit at the home of Mrs. Lee Bowman and other relatives.

Mrs. Robert O. Guin and small daughter, Lorraine, returned to her home in St. Louis Sunday, after several days' visit with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Lon Nall.

Granville Dudley, representative of Gray and Dudley Hardware Co., of Nashville, Tenn., arrived in Sikeston Thursday for a short visit with his brother, Thos. B. Dudley.

Mrs. Moore Greer had a few friends in Wednesday afternoon to meet Mrs. Tiffan. Mrs. John Harris Marshall of Charleston and her three sisters were out-of-town visitors.

H. C. Blanton hasn't exactly an Garden of Eden at his home on North Ranney Street, but nevertheless, he killed a large spread head viper under an apple tree Tuesday evening.

The State Club Water Carnival of the Chillicothe Business College will be held July 29th with ten State Clubs competing for both boys and girls' swimming and diving championships.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Hammett of Marysville, Kansas, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Lawrence at the Del Rey Hotel. Mr. Hammett reports a wonderful corn prospect in his section of the Sunflower State.

The Standard is in receipt of a card announcing the birth of a baby girl to Mr. and Mrs. J. Duncan Brite, 6409 Kenwood Avenue, Chicago. The happy event occurred June 1, 1931, and the name of Luna Van Eaton Brite has been given her.

Ira Shuffitt of Sikeston placed six large tanks of oil on the streets of Oran, two of them going on the picnic grounds near the Catholic Church. The oil was hauled from Sikeston by Shuffitt's truck. There will be no dust on the Oran picnic grounds this year.

The following from Sikeston are attending the summer term of the Teachers' College at Cape Girardeau: Montia P. Allard, Lillian Ancell, Lester A. Fidler, Viola L. Fidler, Georgia M. Houchens, Lilly Newton, Lillian Z. Reiss, Burdeen L. Schreff, Mrs. Rivers Tanner, Elizabeth N. Jansson.

Mrs. Floyd Andrews and friend of San Francisco, Calif., arrived in Fredericktown last Monday, where they will visit until Friday before coming to Sikeston to spend a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Carroll. Mrs. E. P. Francis, sister of Chris Francis of this city, J. W. and Elmo Andrews of Fredericktown will accompany Mrs. Floyd Andrews to this city on the week-end visit.

Only One Mail Delivery In Sikeston After July 1 On Saturday Afternoons

An announcement made this morning by W. E. Hollingsworth, postmaster, states that under the provisions of the recently passed 44-hour week postal law, only one delivery will be made on Saturday to persons living in the city. An exception will be made to patrons receiving mail in the business district. Two deliveries will be made each day as usual.

The notice follows:
In accordance with the Act of Congress and Senate of the United States making 44-hour work week for postal clerks and city carriers, it will be necessary that we make only one delivery of mail to the resident districts on Saturdays after July 1, 1931, when this law is effective, in order to carry out the purpose of the Postal Laws and Regulations and give the carriers half holiday Saturdays. We will make two deliveries to the business section up town by substitute carriers. We hope this will not inconvenience anyone and that you will co-operate with us in carrying out the wish of the Senate and Congress of the U. S. and Postal Laws and Regulation.

Very truly yours,
W. E. HOLLINGSWORTH, P. M.

MRS. MOORE GREER ENTERTAINS AT CAPE GIRARDEAU COUNTRY CLUB

Mrs. Joe Howlett and Mrs. John Harris Marshall of Charleston, and the latter's house guests, Mesdames J. M. Mosley and C. C. Hearn of San Antonio, Texas and Mesdames C. M. Cleavenger and H. P. Jagers of Dallas, Texas were guests of honor at a picnic supper given Monday evening at the Country Club of Cape Girardeau by Mrs. Moore Greer of Sikeston.

Following the picnic Mrs. Greer entertained her guests with a picture show part at the theatre in Cape Girardeau.

CHARLESTON BRIDGE CLUB ENTERTAINED IN SIKESTON

Mrs. Edwards Coon on Saturday afternoon in her home in Sikeston, entertained the members of the Saturday Bridge Club of Charleston and the following guests: Mesdames Westly Lair, Herman Mattingly, Jr., Clifford Brown and Miss Ellen Boyce.

The high score prize was won by Mrs. Byron Howlett, the low score by Mrs. Thomas Byrd and Mrs. Clifford Brown, the visitor's prize.

A salad course was served at the conclusion of the game.

YOUNG NEWSPAPERMAN HERE ON VISIT THURSDAY

Marion Warren, 11-year-old son of Bill Warren of this city, who at present is making his home with his grandfather, Dwight Warren of Farmington, visited for a short time Thursday at The Standard office. Young Warren states that he has a small hand power press, and came in to secure a number of "pictures" from the office. "The Wee Worm", issued intermittently as the spirit moves, is the publication printed by the Warren Brothers.

TO ORGANIZE IN MEXICO, MO., FOR CITY-OWNED UTILITIES

Mexico, Mo., July 1.—Advocates of municipal water and gas plants for Mexico will organize at the court house tomorrow after first having heard speeches on municipal ownership by W. F. Fisher, secretary of the Board of Public Works at Marshall; Mayor C. A. McPheeters of Fulton, and R. R. Howard of Slater. Judge E. A. Shannon of Mexico will preside.

The City Council recently defeated an ordinance for a 20-year natural gas franchise to the Missouri Power and Light Co., which furnishes water, gas, light and ice here. Its gas franchise expired recently.

AUXILIARY MEETING

The Auxiliary of the American Legion held their regular meeting at the home of Mrs. Marshall Myers on Wednesday evening, July 1, with a small number present.

The Auxiliary will present a base drum to the Drum and Bugle Corps to complete their number of instruments so that they will have a full corps to attend the annual State Convention to be held in Joplin in September.

SIKESTON MAN IS OVERCOME

Herrin, Ill., July 1.—W. L. Kernell, Sikeston, Mo., employee of the Wills Construction Co., of St. Louis, suffered a heat prostration here today.

Physicians believe he will recover. He was overcome shortly before noon while working on a grading job north of here on route 148.

You can't advertise today and quit tomorrow. You're not talking to a mass meeting. You're talking to a parade.

RECOVER BODY OF DROWNED BOY

Cape Girardeau, July 1.—The body of Wm. Pough, 20 years old, who drowned in the Mississippi River Sunday has been taken to Point Pleasant, after being picked up south of that point and on the Illinois side of the river. The body of Pough was located near the camp of Woods Bros. Construction Co., which is doing dike work on the Mississippi.

An inquest is to be held in Illinois. Pough went into the Mississippi Sunday afternoon with several other boys, and failed to rise after diving. A search had been going on since that time by a group of men who used boats and drag equipment in an effort to raise the body.

Pough was considered a fairly good swimmer and often swam in the river. At the time of his death he was living at the home of his grandmother near Price's Landing, which is 12 miles south of Commerce.—Southeast Missouri.

Special To The Standard

Charleston, Mo., July 1.—Howard Pough, aged 20 years, son of Bob Pough, who resides on Alpha Brown farm some fifteen miles north of this city, was drowned Sunday evening at 5:00 o'clock at Price's Landing, while swimming in the Mississippi River with the following young men of that community: Roy and Ray Lovett, Paul, George and Roy Sands, Cecil Holmes and Wilbur French.

He made no out-cry for help. He was a slow swimmer and was in the rear of the party.

Held Funeral Wednesday

The body of Howard Pough, 20, of Charleston, who was drowned Sunday while swimming in the Mississippi river at Prices Landing on the Missouri side of the river, was buried in the Oak Grove cemetery, near Charleston, this afternoon.

Coroner Dan Sullivan conducted an inquest over the body late Tuesday at the funeral home of E. A. Burke, Cairo, where it was taken shortly after it had been recovered. A formal verdict of death by drowning was returned. The body was taken to Missouri at noon today. Pough was the adopted son of Mrs. Millie A. Pough of Charleston.

TO OPEN NEW BARBECUE STAND AND STATION JULY 4

Walker and Quellmalz, both of Cairo, Ill., today announce the formal opening next Saturday of an old-time pit barbecue lunch stand in connection with a Conoco oil station on Highway 60, just west of the International Shoe Factory, and east of the Sikeston Laundry building.

H. Walker of the firm and Mr. Lummer operate a similar place in Cairo just opposite the postoffice. It is famous in the entire Southern Illinois district for barbecued meat sandwiches.

The Sikeston lunch room will feature pit barbecue and cold drinks.

Fried chicken dinner Saturday and Sunday.—Sheppard's Cafe.

Mrs. J. L. Tanner, Mrs. Harris and Miss Nanabelle Wilson drove to Crowder Monday afternoon to visit friends.

The Arbutus and T. E. L. Classes of the Baptist church realized about \$40 on their ice cream and cake sale held on the lawn of the church last Thursday evening.

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C. L. BLANTON, EDITOR

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has seen some of the world by day and
by night, and when conditions along
certain lines become almost a scandal,
it is about time for some preacher or
editor to talk from the shoulder. It
is hardly right to expect the preacher
to get personal from the pulpit, so it
falls to the editor to call attention to
certain unseemly things that happen
from time to time in the community.
Every citizen cannot occupy the high-
est rung on the social ladder, but
every citizen can be respectable and
conduct themselves in such a manner
that they are respected by men and
women in every walk of life. Small
boys and small girls soon observe the
things that are unseemly and unless
their minds are put right, may follow
in the footsteps of the less desirable
citizens.

Some seventy-five prohibition agent
prospects have been ordered to a
special training school. We suppose
the training will be along the line of
sacrificing any manhood they might
have had and given instructions how
to get into the good graces of some
one, eat their food, accept of their
hospitality, then show their badge
after drinking a bottle of home brew
and take them to jail. Between the
two, we would much prefer one of our
sons to be a bootlegger to an enforce-
ment officer and have to stop to such
contemptible means to make a case.

Howard Smith, 16 years of age, of
Ottawa, Ill., was buried in a well for
23 hours before being rescued. It is
stated he joked with his rescuers af-
ter being released. It was also stat-
ed he did some praying while in the
hole. A conflict of emotions, but his
belief in a God and help from on high.

Tip Keller is of the opinion that
the weather in Sikeston is warmer in
the summer than it is in the winter.
This is an opinion that should be given
great weight by thinking people.

In glancing over a list of the
Army forts and posts proposed to be
abandoned, the reader will not find
the name of Fort Benjamin Harrison
out in Jim Watson's State, which may
help account for the temporary silence
of the Republican Senate leader.

It was Senator Caraway, as we re-
call, who said of Mr. Hoover's Twen-
ty-Year Plan: "It is not a plan at
all; it is a dream".

Weather forecasters see no indica-
tion of a drouth in 1931, but in the
realm of politics and economics the
"Hoover Blight" still remains.

The "mortgage" that John Raskob
holds is not on the Democratic party,
but on its affections. Fifteen mil-
lion Democrats can't be wrong.—The
Missouri Democrat.

There are other things besides the
heat working on the Widder Zander
these days. Old Bim Gump is about
to ruin Tom Carr her sweetie though
jealousy!

Expressions by various prominent
Democratic members of the Senate
and the House of Representatives
seem to indicate that President Ho-
over will have Congressional agree-
ment with his proffer of postponement
of international debts and the inter-
est thereon for one year. There is to
be no Democratic effort for a partisan
policy of obstruction. It does not fol-
low that all the Democrats, or all the
Republican members for that matter,
will join in the President's suggestion.
Doubtless there will be Senators and
Congressmen of both parties who
have other ideas. The prospect that
the measure will be considered ab-
solutely on its merits and without re-
gard to partisan interests means that
the proffer made last November over
the names of the Minority Leaders of
the House and Senate, the three men
now alive who have been nominated
for the Presidency by the Democratic
party, the National Chairman and the
Chairman of the Executive Commit-
tee, still stands. In that declaration
these Democratic leaders, by way of

reassurance to the business commu-
nity, gave notice that they would co-
operate in effecting the passage of
every measure definitely and palpably
in the public interest, regardless of
the sources of such measures. What
they particularly had in mind was
such legislation as might conduce to
the alleviation of the existing indus-
trial distress and particularly with
reference to the problem of unemploy-
ment. Unfortunately, co-operation
requires the adhesion of two parties,
and the administration was not will-
ing to go along on this basis. Hence
we had the defeat of the most impor-
tant of the Wagner bills for the relief
of unemployment by the process of a
Presidential pocket veto. The ap-
parent excuse for this veto was that
the officials who would carry the pro-
posed measure into effect would be
appointed by the State authorities. In
other words, Governors in Democra-
tic States might appoint Democrats
to do the work. The President pre-
ferred the alternative of Secretary of
Labor Doak's substitute expedient,
which was to place in corresponding
offices men who would be politically
useful to the administration. How-
ever, the Democrats apparently feel
that the offer made by their titular
leaders, though these expressly dis-
avowed their ability to pledge the
members of Congress and issued the
statement as individuals, remains
binding on them even though the ad-
ministration refused a similar obliga-
tion. It would have been easy to
quarrel with the President's program,
especially because he had, only a few

days before announcing it, taken
quite a contrary position, insisting
that there could be no connection be-
tween the so-called war debts owed to
us and the reparations claims. In his
project for a year's moratorium all
of these obligations are included. The
Democratic position in this matter
shines in contrast with the Republi-
can attitude when President Woodrow
Wilson brought to Congress a still
graver international issue. This the
Republicans pledged themselves to
fight even before they knew what it
was. It was the suggestion of the
Democratic President and they re-
quired no other ground on which to
oppose it.

We have been asked when the
Peoples Bank Building will be sold
and another payment made to the de-
positors. An inquiry developed the
fact that it was hoped an advantage-
ous sale of the building could be made
at private sale later in this year and
prevent an auction sale, that would
probably not bring so much. The rent
from the building is paying 6 per cent
on a valuation of \$20,000 and it is
believed with a good crop year the
building will be sold for a fair valua-
tion. There has been paid about 35
per cent to the depositors and there
will probably be 30 per cent more
paid when the building is sold, which
is expected to be during this year.

"Ma" Kennedy, the mother of
Aimee Semple McPherson, has done
gone and got married. Hope the old
blade will be satisfied and happy.

We would hate to get the bunch of
fellows who visited Reelfoot Lake last
Sunday, turned loose telling their ex-
periences of that wonderful trip. They
now deny going fishing, but just on an
outing.

The annual picnic at Oran, tomor-
row, July 4, promises to draw a large
crowd. These good people know how
to prepare and serve a dinner and if
you have never attended one of these
picnics before, go up tomorrow in or-
der that you may say you attended
one before you died. Music and danc-
ing will be a feature.

The editor acknowledges a letter
from Flava Carroll, an inmate of the
Shriners' Hospital, St. Louis, where
she is convalescing from a broken
leg. She says she is getting along
nicely and we feel certain she is hap-
py as the letter radiates happiness.

A friend brought to the office Tues-
day a piece of art for our gallery, but
we couldn't use her. They must
have on some clothes.

Unlucky: The man who lost his
standing by lying.

Frank E. Dill, Athens, near Sayre,
Pa., offers as his contribution to hor-
ticultural wonders a pear tree that
bears ten varieties of the fruit. Dill
grafted nine other varieties on the
branches of a Kiefer pear tree. Last
year the tree bore nine kinds of pears;
this year he expects the tenth type to
appear.

FARM-LABOR LEADER URGES UNION WITH DEMOCRATS FOR COMING PRESIDENTIAL RACE

Minneapolis.—With the presidential
elections still nearly 17 months away,
a movement has been started to place
Minnesota in the Democratic ranks,
where it has been but once before in
71 years.

The movement was launched thru a
proposal that the Farmer-Labor party,
now powerful in the State, join
forces with the Democrats in 1932, in
the absence of a third national party.

This proposal was advanced by A.
C. Welch, veteran chairman of the
Farmer-Labor Association, central
governing group of the party.

Governor Olson has expressed the
view that the third party movement
represented a revolt against contin-
ued Republican domination of State
affairs, as well as a demand for a new
legislative program.

Minnesota has presented a majority
of its popular vote for president to
the Republicans every four years since

1860 when its voters first took part in
the election, excepting 1912, when
Wilson led. In 1916, Charles Evans
Hughes, Republican, led Wilson with
392 votes.

A combination of the strong farm-
er-labor vote with the minority but
steadfastly regular Democratic vote,
would easily equal the Republican to-
tal shown in the last elections, some
observers contend.

In 1928, Farmer-Labor leaders, in-
cluding Olson and Senator Henrik
Shipstead, advised members of the
party not to entangle the party in the
conflict of the two major national
parties for president.

In 1924, LaFollette, running as an
independent, received the active sup-
port of Farmer-Labor leaders, receiv-
ing 339,192 votes to 420,759 for Cool-
idge, with John W. Davis, Democrat,
trailing with 55,913.

A formal meeting of Farmer-La-

bor party leaders to lay the party's
course in the 1932 campaign will be
held this summer.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Sunday School—9:30.
There will be no preaching morning
or evening as the church is co-operat-
ing with the tent meeting, while not
sponsoring same.
Christian Endeavor—7:00.
W. H. HOOVER, Pastor

Telegraph students of the Chilli-
cothe Business College were placed
last week with the Western Union at
Alliance, Nebr., the Postal Telegraph-
Cable Co. at Sycamore, Ill., and the
C. N. W. R. R. at Dallas, S. Dakota.

In 1783 a French balloon rose 1000
feet and was carried out of sight of
Paris; finally, it fell 15 miles away,
much to the consternation of peas-
ants who attacked the fearful demon
with pitchforks, and dragged it from
the end of a horse's tail until nothing
but shreds remained.

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reasons why so many manufactur-
ers and stores have chosen the
rugged Ford truck and the swift
Ford delivery cars.

There are many other features on
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this Special Ford Exhibit well
worth a visit. You will learn about
the safety of the shatter-proof
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FOOD SUGGESTIONS

FOR A SANE FOURTH OF JULY

Bananas, Golden Ripe, per pound	4½c
WATERMELONS Large Dixie Belle each	45c
Bethesda GINGER ALE 24 oz. Bottle	15c
Welch's Grape Juice, quarts, 49c	pints 25c
Maxwell House Coffee, per pound	30c
Sugar, Pure Cane, 10 pounds bulk	47c
Campbell's Pork and Beans, 4 cans	25c
Post Toasties or Kellogg's, 4 small packages	25c
P & G SOAP, 10 bars for	29c
OLEO, 2 pounds	23c



BEEF	PORK	VEAL	LAMB
LARD, per can \$4.20,	1 lb.		10c
BACON, half or whole			19c
DRY SALT JOWLS, per pound			10c
Dry Salt Bacon, lb.	14c	Beef Stew, lb.	12½c
Pork Sausage, lb.	12½c	Beef Roast, pound	17c
Hamburger, lb.	12½c	Pork Shoulders Half or Whole	13½c
Spare Ribs, lb.	12½c	Pork Chops, lb.	23c

GOVERNMENT INSPECTED

FAMILY FOOD BILL 18 PER CENT LOWER

The weekly food bill of the average family is 18 per cent lower this year than in 1930.

Moreover, the budget of the average family shows a greater saving in food than in any other necessity, according to Albert H. Morrill, president of Kroger Grocery and Baking Company, which has just completed a survey and comparison of food prices.

Official reports indicate that during the past year clothing has declined in price 13.7 per cent, housing has declined 7.4 per cent, fuel and light have declined 3.7 per cent.

This means that the weekly family budget of \$10, which last year bought 90 pounds of food, today will buy 110 pounds of similar food.

The average family has benefited by this lower cost in two ways: they are using this year better foods and different foods and more of certain kinds of foods, or they are spending 18 per cent less for the same kinds of foods they used last year.

For instance, a family which might have used oleomargarine is now using butter; in baking a cake two eggs are used this year where one was used last year; for salads, where slaw was used last year perhaps lettuce and tomatoes and other vegetables are used now.

In the same manner, a family with a weekly food budget of \$20 a year ago can buy the same food today for \$16.40.

A family budget of \$30 a week last year can be reduced this year to \$24.60 and will purchase the same quantity of food.

A definite idea of how food prices have declined may be obtained from

the following specific items included in the Kroger survey:

	Per cent decline
Bread	17
Butter	46 1/4
Eggs	66
Cheese	54
Pork Sausage	65
Pork Chops	6
Smoked Hams	40
Shoulder of Lamb	50
Beef Steak	38.1
Chuck Roast	56 2-3
Meat for Loaf	40 2-3

AVOID DROUTH EFFECTS BY KEEPING PLANTS DRYER

Wet fields and marshy spots are often the first to show the effects of dry weather. A lawn that is sprinkled every day suffers more, if the family goes on vacation and neglects the sprinkling, than a nearby lawn that has had to depend on rain for most of its moisture.

Last year's long drouth emphasized this, both in town and country. This results from the general habit of plants to take life easy and to develop along lines of least resistance. In a marsh or a wet field the surface moisture is almost always adequate, and roots develop near the surface because they do not need to seek moisture and plant food in the lower levels. Ordinarily roots do not grow well in water-logged soil. When the surface dries out, the plant may be unable to tap the water in the subsoil. Similarly the well-sprinkled lawn develops a root system just beneath the surface, and if the upper layer of soil dries the lawn may soon look bare and brown.

In the wet or marshy fields the remedy is paradoxically, to fight drouth by keeping the fields dryer, usually by drainage which will favor

a deeper rooting. On the lawn, also, the remedy is to apply less water—less frequently but more water at a time, enough to soak the soil to a depth of several inches. Then, when the surface water evaporates, the roots of the grasses push downward to tap reserves of moisture.

FORESTS INFLUENCE AMOUNT OF MOISTURE IN THE AIR

Forests influence the amount of moisture in the air as well as conserve the water in the ground. Humidity records taken by the Pacific Northwest Forest Experiment Station in a Douglas fir forest before and after the trees were cut indicated a remarkable difference in atmospheric humidity, according to the Forest Service, United States Department of Agriculture.

In the forested area the relative humidity fell below 35 per cent in only one-third as many hours as in an open area nearby. After the forested tract was cut over, the atmosphere above it appeared to become almost as dry as that over the open space. The tests showed that the removal of the trees increased the number of hours during which the humidity was below 35 per cent by two and one-half times.

BASIS OF LIONISM

Lions Clubs are non-political, non-sectarian organizations composed of representative business and professional men who feel an interest in the welfare and progress of their city and community.

Lionism promotes the principles of good government and good citizenship.

Lionism takes an active interest in the civic, commercial, social and moral welfare of the community.

Lionism unites its members in the bonds of friendship, good-fellowship and mutual understanding.

Lionism is designed to further education, enlarge social and civic opportunities, support the laws, direct public counsels, and in every way make the lives of men better and happier.

Membership is acquired by invitation only, and none but men of honor and of the highest standing will be asked to affiliate with the club. Only one active member will be assigned to each classification.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL FROM BLODGETT

Raymond Marshall was quite sick last week.

D. P. Bailey is visiting his son, Paul, in Lutesville.

Miss Thelma McDaniels visited with friends in Hayti, Sunday.

The B. Y. P. U. went on an outing Sunday at Perkin Springs.

Oscar Graham of Cape Girardeau visited friends here Sunday.

Misses Earlene and Modest Nolan of Croston visited here Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Lilly Bryant of Tulsa, Okla., is visiting Mr. and Mrs. I. H. Marshall.

Mr. Mooney of St. Louis visited his daughter, Mrs. Ben F. Marshall, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Muse of St. Louis are visiting Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Bailey.

Misses Louise Peal and Jeanette Graham visited at the Stubbs home in Cape Girardeau Thursday.

Mrs. Clarence Sadler and children are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Pete Barnes and Mrs. Hubard in St. Louis.

Mr. and Mrs. George Buchanan were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Eskew.

Mrs. Arterburn has returned from Sikeston and is now at the home of her son, C. C. Stewart.

Mrs. Lucy Mercer has returned from Tulsa, Okla., where she has been visiting her son, Carol Getz.

Mrs. I. H. Marshall, Mrs. Jane Peal and Mrs. Lilly Bryant visited with friends in Cape Girardeau during the week-end.

Dr. and Mrs. E. J. Neinstedt motored to Van Buren Sunday. Louise, their daughter, who has been visiting there, returned home.

The Boy Scouts, Chester Pearman, E. R. Putnam, Jr., Eugene Nunnelee, J. P. Stewart and Phillip Williams left Sunday for a two weeks' camp at Castor River.

Ash Grove—Main streets of city ed.

Portageville—Sutterfield Construction Co. received contract to construct new high school building here.

Writers are queer people who can but purge their sins on paper, and it takes people who have witnessed the same emotions to appreciate their works.

Greenville—Grocery store opened here in building owned by Greenville Roller Mill and operated by stockholders of company in connection with their flour and feed business.

SEVERE COLD WAVE RECORDED IN BRAZIL

Rio De Janeiro, Brazil, June 29.—Brazilians today were shivering in one of the first cold waves of the South American winter. The cold was felt in all the country from Rio De Janeiro southward. Heavy overcoats were in evidence in contrast with the lighter clothing which appeared with Saturday's high temperature.

Heavy frosts were reported from the interior and it was believed that the coffee crops of Sao Paulo had been damaged 25 per cent.

SNOW FALLS ONE HOUR IN WASHINGTON STATE

Wenatchee, Wash., June 29.—Snow fell for an hour and a half today in portions of the Wenatchee mountains. Fruit growers on Wenatchee heights, who could see the white blanket above them, said it was the first June snowfall there in twenty-three years.

Mrs. Louis Schneider, wife of a Yakima sheepman, said two feet of snow fell Wednesday night on Buck Creek ridge in the Cascades above Leavenworth near here.

Glasgow—Earl Koester Drug Store opened for business at 118 Reed St.

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT

Notice is hereby given, that the undersigned, Executor of the estate of Harriet Altom, deceased, will make final settlement of his accounts with said estate as such Executor at the next term of the Probate Court of Scott County, Missouri, to be holden at Benton in said county, on the 3rd day of August, A. D. 1931.

J. F. ALTOM,
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Is your heart in your mouth when you swing into a curve at a little more speed than the law allows?

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Size	Each	Pair	Size	Each	Pair
29x4.40 (4.40-21)	\$ 4.98	\$ 9.96	29x5.25 (5.25-19)	\$8.15	\$16.30
29x4.50 (4.50-20)	5.60	10.90	31x5.25 (5.25-21)	8.67	16.70
30x4.50 (4.50-21)	5.69	11.10	28x5.50 (5.50-18)	8.75	17.00
28x4.75 (4.75-19)	6.65	12.90	29x5.50 (5.50-19)	8.90	17.30
29x4.75 (4.75-20)	6.75	13.10	32x6.00 (6.00-20) 6 ply	11.50	22.30
29x5.00 (5.00-19)	6.98	13.60	33x6.00 (6.00-21) 6 ply	11.65	22.60
30x5.00 (5.00-20)	7.10	13.80	30x3 1/2 Reg. cl. High		
28x5.25 (5.25-18)	7.90	15.30	Pressure	4.20	8.40

We will deliver and apply these tires free

\$4.98
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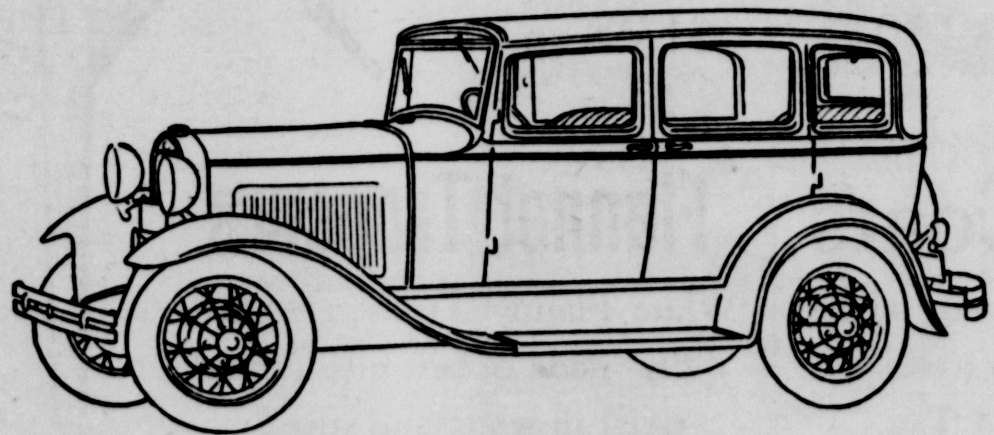
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AS I SEE IT

By I'm About Town

The world do move and men seems
to move with it. Two birdmen circle
the upper end of the old sphere in
four and one-third days' actual fly-
ing time, or nine days plus a few
hours actually away from pa and
ma's home cooking.

Editorial writers will now be sup-
plied with fresh copy during the hot
summer months. Post and Gatty com-
plained of "having to make signs" for
what they wanted in some of the odd
corners of the globe. That might be
interpreted to be a boost for an inter-
national language.

In other parts the flyers complain-
ed of having to eat black bread. With-
out taking into consideration that
black bread has been on the menu in
some countries since the year one, the
fact might suggest a dumping ground
for some of that Farm Board Wheat.

Neither Post nor Gatty has indicat-
ed to this newspaper what brand of
ciggies he smoked, nor what make of
tooth paste was used to remove that
Russian Vodka film from the molars.
That comes later in special "to this
newspaper only" syndicated articles.

Nevertheless the sky blazers have
set a mark worthy of mention. Time
elapsed on the journey is approxi-
mately that required by the fastest
of fast ocean liners to make the trip
from New York to Europe.

Fifteen deaths from heat in Chica-
go Wednesday, and yet one man re-
ceived a broken leg while repairing a
snow plow in that same city. Just
grooming it for this winter though.

We wonder why Sikeston couldn't
have a munny ball league, using the
big indoor ball and the grade school
lot. It has come to our personal ob-
servation that one city of 30,000 has
such a league, and a town of about
2000 has no end of sport using the
indoor ball rules, a small lot and lots
of pep. Let's talk it up. We could
bring the old league back to life with-
out a whole lot of trouble. Play could
start at 5:30 or 6 o'clock and continue
as long as old Sol permitted. The sale
of liniment and rubbing alcohol the
first week should make it profitable
from the drug store standpoint.

Some agitation is going on to have
the City Council take action against
the Missouri Utilities Co. to have
them vacate the streets and alleys
with their poles and wires as their
franchise expired several years ago
and the Sikeston Municipal Plant is
functioning in a first class manner.
The Municipal Plant now has 840 ap-
plicants for connections and scattered
ones coming in every day. Some talk
is going the rounds that the Missouri
Utilities Co. are leaving their wires
connected to the houses believing
some dissatisfaction will develop with
the Municipal service and they will
be ready to install their meters on
short notice. In fact, it has been re-
peated that an employee of the Mis-
souri Utilities Co. stated they would
have half of the business back with
them in six months. Sikeston has a
plant of her own that has to be paid
for and the sooner they get the entire
load, the sooner it will pay for itself.

Several business places have asked
why the street sweeper couldn't be
used after business closes Saturday
night in order that our streets could
be more sightly to strangers and vis-
itors who visit the city on Sundays.
The Saturday crowd certainly leave
the sidewalks and streets in an un-
sightly condition, so it is up to our
very efficient street commissioner as
to change in time of street sweeping.

Yes, it was some cooler Wednesday
night, but there was no evidence of a
frost.

Columbus Allsop is digging a new
pond. He says the biggest job will
be in moving his frogs and turtles
from the old one. He will have to
make two trips, as the frogs travel in
high and the turtles in low.—Commer-
cial Appeal.

The Standard is running a page ad-
vertisement this week showing and
proving a rank misstatement printed
in the American Press Association
Directory at the direction of C. H.
Denman, publisher of The Sikeston
Herald. This has to do with adver-
tising and circulation. In the same
New York publication the circulation
is given by C. H. Denman as 2400. C.
M. Harris, outside solicitor for The
Herald in the presence of Charles L.
Blanton, Jr., told Gene Potashnick,
a few weeks ago, the circulation of
The Herald was 2250. In The Stand-
ard office is an affidavit from Berry
Jordan, who worked in both offices for
a couple of years, and given one year
ago soon after The Herald closed a
contest, in which he says the circula-
tion of The Herald was 1850. Some
one of these three were wrong and if
a false statement is given out to de-
ceive or defraud, then the Postoffice
Inspectors should look after the truth-
fulness of the printed statements that
are sent through the mails.

The Standard Congratulates

Mr. and Mrs. J. Duncan Brite, 6409
Kenwood Ave., Chicago, on the birth
of a baby girl, June 1. The little lady
has been named Luna Van Eaton
Brite.

Mr. and Mrs. "Buster" Caplinger,
on the birth of a son born last Monday
evening in Jefferson City, Mo. Mr.
Caplinger is the traveling auditor for
the State Highway Commission, and
the recent arrival places R. C. "Cap"
Caplinger in the grandfather class
for the very first time. Again con-
gratulations all 'round.

Fried chicken dinner Saturday and
Sunday.—Sheppard's Cafe.

We are glad to report that Mrs.
Handy Smith's condition shows im-
provement.

Mrs. Herman Henry and Miss Ger-
aldine Waggoner attended a bridge
tea at Carbondale, Ill., Monday, re-
turning Tuesday.

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very smart looking and com-
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Flannel Sport Coats in single
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Wear one of our newly arrived wool suits.
1 and 2-piece styles, in colors
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Every new shape and style to
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SIKESTON, MISSOURI

LOCAL STORM BRINGS RELIEF FROM HEAT

A local thunderstorm late Wednesday afternoon brought needed relief to parched fields nine miles south of here and temporary respite from intense heat which for the past nine days shot the mercury into the upper nineties and twice over the 100 mark. The rain in Sikeston proper came about 4:45 o'clock and was of short duration.

Wind and a severe electrical storm which struck in the Noxall, Champion and Juanita neighborhood at practically the same time Wednesday. Reports state that the Scott County Milling Company warehouse was damaged by wind at Noxall, and that one side and a portion of the roof of a similar warehouse maintained by the Sikes-McMullin Grain Company at Juanita were torn away. Corn in that section was laid flat with small prospects for a comeback.

According to Oscar Carroll, who farms nine miles south of Sikeston, the wind there leveled tall corn in his neighborhood, but a heavy shower was very badly needed. "It was the first good rain in four weeks in a five-mile radius of my place", said Mr. Carroll.

Chaffee received a drenching downpour which lasted a few minutes, the first in nearly five weeks. Crops are reported to be suffering for moisture in that district.

Rain fell at Crowder, but extended south only two miles. Very little rain was reported in the area northwest of Sikeston.

Greenville, Mo., was in the path of the wind squall, which struck south in that city. In that place the milling company roof and one side wall were blown down. Two houses were damaged, tree limbs blown down but no one was injured. The puff came about 4:30 o'clock and lasted twenty minutes.

1913 Record Stands

Cairo, July 1.—With June ending today, the old heat record for this month established on the 18th in 1913.

PROGRAM Weeks Theatre DEXTER, MO.

Sunday and Monday, July 5 and 6
Matinee Sunday 2:30 Nights 7:30
Admission 10c and 35c

Norma Shearer in her latest picture "A FREE SOUL". A great star's greatest triumph. This picture is running at Fox Theatre this week. Also NEWS and CARTOON

Tuesday and Wednesday, July 7-8
"BACHELOR APARTMENTS" with Lowell Sherman, Irene Dunn. Also Comedy—"DON'T BITE YOUR DENTIST". One lady admitted free with each paid admission

Thursday and Friday, July 9-10
"THE LADY REFUSES" with Betty Compson, John Barrow. Comedy—"DON'T DIVORCE HIM". One lady admitted free with each paid admission.

Saturday, July 11
Tom Tyler in a western feature—"GOD'S COUNTRY AND MAN". Also Comedy—"DON'T LEAVE HOME" and CARTOON

Admission 10c and 25c
COMING—"DADDY LONG LEGS" with Jane Gaynor, Warner Baxter. Saturday, Sunday and Monday, July 11, 12, 13. Midnight show Saturday, the 11th. Don't miss seeing this picture



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when the thermometer at the United States weather bureau here registered 102 degrees, remained intact, although the temperature reached a ceiling of 100 Monday afternoon, compared with 99 Sunday and 98 Saturday.

At 2 p. m. today the temperature was 97, and it was not expected to reach the century mark this afternoon, much less surpass it. On the 26th and 27th day of June in 1914 there were 100 degrees of heat at Cairo.

Continued fair and warmer was the forecast of Meteorologist W. E. Barron. Showers gave temporary relief in some sections of the heat scorched area of the United States. There was a breeze in Cairo and vicinity for a while Monday night, which gave some relief.—Cairo Citizen.

LAUGHLIN-PRATT

Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Pratt of Cotter, Ark., announce the marriage of their daughter, Elizabeth, to Ray W. Laughlin, son of Mrs. Norma Laughlin, Kansas City, on Monday morning, May 11, at the home of Rev. C. T. Cotton in Topeka, Kansas, with only immediate family of bride and groom and Miss Irma Force of Springfield, Mo., attending.

The bride attended Galloway Women's College, Searcy, Ark., and Kansas City Horner Conservatory of Music, Kansas City, Mo., and is an accomplished musician. She is a member of Phi Mu Gamma sorority.

The bridegroom is a member of the Kansas City Horner Conservatory faculty. He won the Southwest dis-

trict American Federation of Music Clubs contest at Little Rock in 1929, in violin. He is a member of Phi Mu Alpha fraternity.

Mr. and Mrs. Laughlin left immediately for Cincinnati and New York, where Mr. Laughlin will be with Chi Scoggin and his Pla Mor orchestra. They will be heard over NBC. Mr. and Mrs. Laughlin will be at home at 1445 South Thirtieth St., Kansas City, Kan., September.

Mrs. J. N. Sheppard was confined to her bed Thursday, with an attack of acute indigestion.

Why cook at home these hot days? Eat good home-cooked meals at Sheppard's Cafe.

Sile Kildew tried to borrow a little money from the Tickville Bank this week, but the cashier shook his head, as the bank was already losing money.—Commercial Appeal.

Killing one wild duck from a motor boat during close season cost a Cole County hunter \$250. Arrested by a game protector of the Biological Survey, United States Department of Agriculture, he plead guilty in Federal Court at Jefferson City and was fined the \$250.

Some 300,000 deities are said to be comprised in the Hindoo pantheon. Ellick Helwanger attended a Bible argument at the postoffice Saturday.

Not knowing anything about either side, he remained neutral.—Commercial Appeal.

Woman (to friend): "I have got a splendid husband; he halves everything with me. He came home the other night with two black eyes and he had to give me one".

FOR SALE—Plums, 70c per bushel.—W. D. Hampton, 2½ miles east, ¾ miles north of Blodgett. 1tpd-78.

WANTED—Home laundry of all kinds. Satisfaction guaranteed.—402 North Frisco Street.

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms with bath.—Mrs. Flora Shain, 625 Prosperity Street. tf-63.

FOR RENT—Third house north of Russell Implement Building. Apply John N. Chaney, 213 N. Kingshighway.

WANTED—3 passengers to Dallas, San Antonio or Brownsville, Texas. Leaving July 15. One way or round trip in new Buick sedan. Cheap transportation. Write Mrs. W. D. Brown, box 324, Sikeston. 1tpd-78.

FOR SALE—Used National Cash Register in good condition. A bargain.—Franklin Moore, Bank of Sikeston.

FOR SALE—Police puppies. 7 weeks old. Cheap. Main house Stubblefield farm, 3 miles north, 2 miles east of Sikeston.—Mrs. Graham, box 324. 1tpd-78.

LOST—June 28, between East Prairie and Dexter, brown suitcase containing women's clothing, fountain pen, beads, compacts and films. Name and address on notebook. If found notify Mayola Emory, East Prairie, Mo. Reward. 1tpd.

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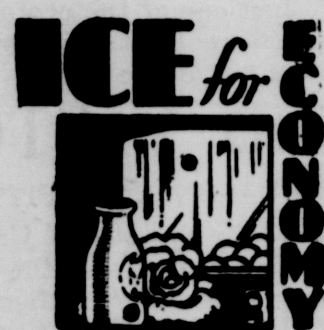
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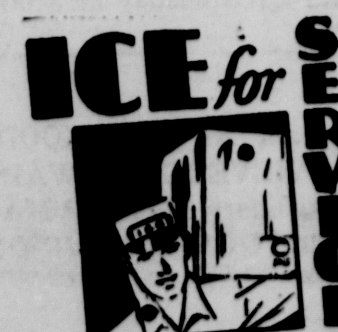
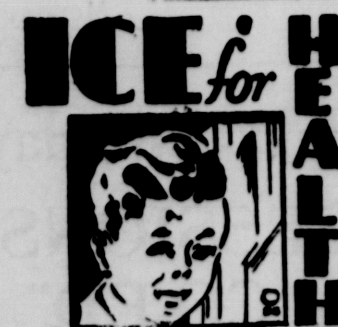
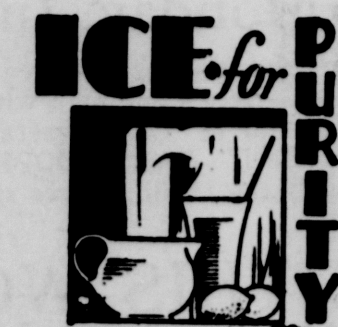
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C. L. BLANTON, EDITOR

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AUNT JANE SPEAKS HER MIND

Every peace loving American citizen deplores the stupid killing of the two Mexican students. Regrets and apologies are small compensations for the two clear-eyed youths. My heart goes out to their parents and relatives. It is an embarrassing predicament for our government. It seems an unpardonable blunder and the two deputies sheriffs may pay dearly for their rashness.

Why do we have officers? Are they to protect life and property or are they armed for self-protection only? Seems to me an officer either sneaks and snoops, or is deaf and blind. All sorts of vice and violation exist and are tolerated in every town. An occasional raid is made as a jesture, but it perhaps pays better to do nothing than to do something. Business usually picks up around election time. A few goats are dragged in as examples of the officers efficient enforcement, and he asks for re-election and makes many promises. I often look at some of the officers who represent us and think we must be a sorry lot. We are guilty of electing law-violators to office and then expect them to support the law. What a joke we make of our governing business.

With hold-up men, auto thieves, kidnappers and various thugs ready to pounce upon the unwary, one should expect the traveler to be on the alert. Judging from the photographs of the participants in the Mexican tragedy, the officers look more like desperados than the students.

Will it become necessary to obtain passports in order to travel unmolested in this free country of ours? Will we have to seek the consent and approval of every minor officer in order to go through his particular territory? We may have to be labeled or placarded advertising the fact that we are peaceful citizens. It might be well to have an inspection service and be given a "trade mark" by which officers could recognize us.

America needs good government. We must elect level-headed responsible men to bring this about. A good sheriff can appoint a hair-trigger, adle-pate for a deputy and cause all sorts of trouble. This Mexican affair ought to be a lesson to every officer in the country.

—AUNT JANE.

Ambassador Gibson, speaking at Yale University, thinks that the fear and pride of fifty-seven nations will make the limitation of armaments a long, evolutionary proceeding. He finds, however, that the present is inclined toward anything of a revolutionary character. There may be hope in revolution, rather than in evolution, so far as getting the nations to work with smaller fighting forces is concerned. A good example of substituting revolution for evolution, to the advantage of all involved, is found in the fact that it has proven better to cut off lambs' tails than to try to breed tailless lambs. Someone may yet suggest an equally effective road to arms reduction.

A Maryland mother is coming in for some sharp criticism, because she let her four year old boy sleep comfortably in jail, as a punishment for being an incorrigible runaway. If she had given him an unmerciful paddling, she would have been hailed as a repository of ancient Solomonic wisdom. Four years of age is not too early to learn, by a far more humane method, that there is woe a-plenty for the wrong-doer, just beyond the cottage door.

Adjacent newspaper columns record that ten residents of New York City were drowned on a single hot Sunday, and that over in London they are honoring the memory of Capt. John Smith, sometime governor of Virginia, on the three hundredth anniversary of his death. One wonders whose name will be venerated three hundred years from the date of the ten drownings. Perhaps it will be the name of the man who made bathing safe. He has more work to accomplish than John Smith had in order to get his cognomen on the address book of Fame.

The Skeston Standard, \$1.50 per year

PALACE IN VIRGINIA!

Williamsburg, Va.—Digging into mounds and weedy banks here excavators have uncovered foundations and floors of the royal governor's palace and a mysterious passageway suggesting a secret exit for the king's rulers of Virginia in the pre-Revolutionary days.

The palace, erected about 1700, one of the first buildings in the old capital, was considered the finest structure in America until it was destroyed by fire shortly after the Revolution. In the years since then the ruins have been completely covered by earth and vegetation. Recently John D. Rockefeller, Jr., started restoration.

Several feet under the present surface workmen's picks struck the foundations. These have been uncovered, little damage by the ravages of time. Even the marble floor, on which dignified colonial by the discovery, the excavators gentlemen in powdered wigs bowed gallantly to beautiful ladies, was found intact.

In attempting to locate the old deer park and formal gardens in the rear, skeletons of 90 men were discovered. It is thought they were buried there after dying in the palace, which was used as a hospital during the siege of Yorktown.

The mysterious passageway was found when workmen dug into a tree-covered mound near the palace. As they probed downward into the earth and scooped up shovel after shovel of dirt they at last uncovered a brick-walled opening.

Around it was a wooden doorway opening into a 15-foot tunnel. From the tunnel, penetrating inward and downward, was a brick-line shaft about 12 feet in diameter. Their imaginations stimulated continued digging—hopeful that they might find an underground chamber or some hidden retreat which would solve the riddle of the passage.

They are still digging. Down some 35 feet now, they have not reached the end of the shaft, nor have archaeologists been able to determine for what purpose it was used. The suggestion has been made, however, that it may have been a secret exit from the palace 200 yards away, used by the king's governors in escaping from danger.

As the excavating continues, interest in the project is increasing, many hoping that unguessed secrets of colonial intrigue and the royal rulers will be discovered. The restoration will be continued until all important features of the palace and surroundings are again revealed.

"HAVE YOU HEARD THIS ONE?"

From time immemorial housewives have been solicited on what is known as the "enlarged picture and frame scheme". It comes in many guises.

Of-times a lady will ring your door bell and offer you an opportunity to draw from several envelopes, stating that if you are lucky enough to draw one containing a certain "special advertising coupon", you will be entitled to an enlarged picture without cost.

Very often the sales person's opening statement is "we would like to present you free of charge a beautiful hand-tinted enlargement of any photograph that you care to give us".

Such offerings usually meet with the natural question on the part of the housewife of "how can you afford to do this?" The solicitor replies that this is a special advertising offer made for the purpose of introducing his or her company's product into the home and that the picture will be delivered without cost.

The trick in the scheme is that you are inveigled into accepting a coupon containing some very fine printed matter in which you agree to buy a frame for the picture. Through this method you pay a good price for both the frame and the picture.

Estimates, secured by The Better Business Bureau, of frames sold in this manner indicate that the frames are priced sufficiently high to return a substantial profit to the company on the entire transaction.

Housewives who are solicited on this scheme are urged to report their experiences promptly to The Better Business Bureau of St. Louis.

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FREE MOVIE SHOWS

FORD AUTO PLANT

A sound motion picture graphically portraying the story of the Ford Motor Company and its widespread activities will be exhibited free of charge in a special Ford exhibit to be held at the Scott County Motor Co.

show room beginning Monday and continuing through Tuesday. The show will be open to the public from 8 a. m. to 9 p. m.

The picture, entitled "A Tour Thru the Ford Factory" will show the gathering of raw materials, their arrival at the Rouge Plant in Dearborn, Mich., and the numerous interesting stages through which they pass in the process of making Ford cars and trucks. It is, in short, an education in the extent and meaning of modern volume production.

While an unseen voice explains each scene, the audience is taken on a tour of the plant, through the great blast furnace building where ore is converted into iron; into the open hearth building where the iron becomes steel and is poured, a white hot liquid, into moulds; into the blooming mill where the steel ingots are made into bars; and into the rolling mill in which the long bars of white hot steel are reduced to definite sizes. Forty kinds of steel, each of a composition to serve a definite purpose, are used in the Ford car and truck.

The picture shows also the manufacture of glass in an endless unbroken strip, a process developed by Ford engineers; the machine shops in which parts for the cars are manufactured; the pressed steel building with its gigantic presses; and the coke ovens and other units in which by-products are recovered to the extent of millions of dollars annually.

Throughout the picture one sees literally miles and miles of conveyors which take much of the manual labor off the backs of men. There are conveyors carrying newly arrived materials into the plant, others taking parts from one building to another, and, of course, the final assembly line, that famous conveyor on which the parts are put together to form the completed car.

In addition to the picture, there will be a representative line of Ford cars and trucks and display boards containing car and truck parts.

The cars alone are well worth a visit for they include body types to suit any taste and to meet any occasion. Particularly attractive are the de luxe cars in which upholstery ap-

pointments are of a kind and quality usually found only in more expensive automobiles.

All the body types are featured by the Ford's new beauty of line and color. The deep radiator, the wide generous fenders, and the graceful sweeping lines of the bodies contribute to a pleasing whole. The cars may be obtained in a variety of color combinations.

A clean mind does not at all times take suggestion of an action as it is suggestive of.

TAKE HER OUT TO DINE
AT LEAST ONCE A WEEK

At least one evening off for the wife and mother.

All industries stand for more time off every week.

The working week has been generally reduced in the last few years until some Unions allow their members to work only forty hours a week.

During all this agitation, however, there never has been a mention of giving Mother any time off from her continuous round of housewifery duties.

She is supposed to work as many hours as are necessary to provide for the numerous and incessant demands which are made by keeping house and raising a family.

Special dinner every Sunday 60c from 11 a. m. to 8 p. m.
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A sparkling comedy drama. As daring as youth, itself. As romantic as a first kiss. As intimate as a lover's secret. As invigorating as the great outdoors with

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Saturday Only, July 4th

Men in battle who dared death—women at home braving all for love. Theirs was the ideal love-trusting, passionate, whole-souled. Then intrigue and war. Devotion smashed, the girl of German descent torn from the young American plantation owner. Just one of the profoundly-moving stories in the extraordinary drama of five doughboys on the brink of death who would re-live or undo burning episodes out of the past.

"BEYOND VICTORY"

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A stupendous dialogue production contrasting the hell of No Man's Land with the beauties and charm of peace—a great theme splendidly visualized.

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"PHANTOM OF THE WEST"

Continuous Show 2:30 to 11 p. m.

Sunday and Monday, July 5 and 6

Careless kisses—Impulsive marriage—Easy divorce! It takes a strong man to hold his woman these days. Here's one man who does—see how! Together! The strong, virile star of "City Streets". The exquisite blond enchantress of "Up Pops the Devil". GARY COOPER and CAROLE LOMBARD in Mary Roberts Rinehart's thrilling love story based on her own best-seller novel.

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A man and a girl fight desperately against love until love conquers them. Its throbbing action sweeps across a continent—into every heart! Also Burns and Allen in "PULLING A BONE", Laurel and Hardy in "OUR WIFE".

Matinees: Sunday 2:30 Monday 3 p. m.

Evenings: Sunday 6:30 and 8:30 Monday 7:00 and 9:00 P. M.

Tuesday and Wednesday, July 7-8

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PHILLIPS HOLMES, SYLVIA SIDNEY, NORMAN FOSTER

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Vagabond Trip "ROAD TO MANDALAY" and Chester Conklin in "THE 13th ALARM".

Matinee Every Wednesday at 3:00 P. M.

COMING—

Elisha Landi in "ALWAYS GOODBYE"

Conchita Montenegro in "NEVER THE TWAIN SHALL MEET"

Robert Montgomery in "SHIP MATES"

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LOCAL AND PERSONAL FROM CHARLESTON

Miss Myrtle Goodin is visiting in St. Louis.

Mrs. Nell Padgett is spending this week in St. Louis.

Mrs. Carabell Bayley has returned from a visit in St. Louis.

Pedro Simmons and Julius Wigdor spent Sunday in Harrisburg, Ill.

Miss Isabelle Edelen is the guest of her aunt, Miss Elizabeth Burns.

Mrs. F. J. Wilkinson has returned from a visit in Clarksville, Tenn.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ashby have returned from a visit in St. Louis.

Stanley Jenkins of Texas will visit friends in this city the latter part of the week.

Mrs. Mary Thompson has returned from a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Leslie in Oran.

James Mulkey has gone to Madison, Wis., where he entered the State University for the summer term.

Marion Rowe of El Paso, Texas arrived here Monday for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Rowe.

Mrs. Wm. Borchelt and little daughter, Mary Frances, of Cape Girardeau were week-end guests of Mrs. Nell Lett.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Jones and daughters, Misses Helen and Barbara Mae, were visitors in Clay, Ky., Sunday.

Mrs. L. S. Olian and children, who have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Wigdor left Sunday for their home in Alton, Ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Westly Lair, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Love and Mr. and Mrs. Herman Mattingly, Jr., spent Sunday at Reelfoot Lake, Tenn.

Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Huston and son, Wilburn of Louisiana, will spend the Fourth in this city with Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Brewer and other friends.

Mr. and Mrs. James Thurmond and Stanley Jenkins of Texas will arrive Thursday to be the week-end guests of Col. and Mrs. Paul B. Moore.

Mrs. L. B. Kornegger and Miss Laura Catherine Kornegger of Sikeston, who have been guests of Mrs. G. W. Kirk, have returned to their homes.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Priest of Detroit, Mich., who have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Priest at Bird's Mill, have gone to Fulton, Ky., to visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Tanner and sons of Georgia, were week-end guests of Mrs. Rachel Finley. They were enroute to Chicago, Ill., to spend the summer.

Mrs. J. H. Wilkerson and children of Houston, Texas and Mrs. R. L. Boston of San Antonio, Texas are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Caldwell.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Moore were host and hostesses to their bridge club Thursday evening. The only club visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lair, Jr. Refreshments were served.

Miss Gwendolyn Kirk, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Kirk, is visiting in Sikeston this week, the guest of Mrs. L. B. Kornegger and Miss Laura Catherine Kornegger.

Sterrett Davis and sister, Mrs. John Joe Russell, who were called here last week by the serious illness of their mother, Mrs. Fred Davis, have returned to their home in Batesville, Arkansas.

Mesdames J. M. Mosley and C. C. Hearn of San Antonio, Texas and Mesdames C. M. Cleaver and H. P. Jagers of Dallas, Texas, who are the house guests of Mrs. John Harris Marshall were the honorees of a most enjoyable reception given Friday afternoon from 3:30 to 5:30 o'clock by Mrs. Marshall in her home on East Marshall street. Sweet peas arranged in silver bowls and tall floor baskets filled with gladioli were used in decoration of the living room, where Mrs. Marshall and guests and Mrs. W. T. Marshall stood to receive the guests. The other reception room and halls were decorated in roses, daisies and larkspur. In the dining room a color motif of yellow and green was effectively carried out. The appointed table with its lovely cloth of cut work and flet lace, had a central decoration of Queen Anne's lace tinted green and arranged in a silver bowl. Burning tall yellow tapers in low silver holders, cast a soft glow over the table. Mesdames Ralph Carson, Paul Hummel, E. H. Orear, A. H. Marshall, J. M. Cullison and Joe Howlett of this city and Mrs. Moore Greer of Sikeston served ices in the form of lilies, cake and mints in the shades of yellow and green. Mrs. Byron Howlett at the piano rendered popular music during the after-

noon. Some seventy-five guests called during the hours. Out-of-town guests were Mrs. Sanford Andrews of Oklahoma City, Okla., and Mrs. Albert Wilkinson of Cairo.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL FROM MATTHEWS

Miss Hazel Mitchell of Hayti is visiting Miss Helen Deane this week.

Everybody is busy threshing wheat now and they say it is turning out fine.

Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Fox of Sikeston spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Claude Mize.

A large number from here attended the Epworth League banquet at Oran Tuesday night.

Mrs. Orville Fulkerson and little son of California visited relatives in Matthews this week.

Mrs. Ella Prouty returned to her home in Sikeston, after several days' visit here with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Shirley Dovers returned Saturday to their home in St. Louis, after a week's visit here with relatives.

Little J. R. Byrd had the misfortune to break his arm last Tuesday by falling from a tree. The little fellow is getting along fine.

Miss Verna King, who is attending summer school in Memphis, Tenn., spent the week-end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. King.

The program at the Christian church Sunday night was well attended, the house being crowded. The numbers were good and the music was especially enjoyed by those present.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Dance and children left for their home in Decatur, Ill., Tuesday, after a visit of several days here with her mother, Mrs. Achley and sister, Mrs. Tom Holderby.

Clifford Reed and Miss Leona Gaines stole a march on their friends by slipping off to Cape Girardeau and ple have a host of friends who wish getting married. These young people them happiness.

Members of the Epworth League enjoyed a swimming party on the east ditch Friday night. After the swim, the young folks served sandwiches and soda. Rev. Garrison and wife chaperoned the crowd.

THE EIGHT POINTS OF THE LIONS CODE OF ETHICS

1. To show my faith in the worthiness of my vocation by industrious application to the end that I may merit a reputation for quality of service.

2. To seek success and to demand all fair remuneration or profit as my just due, but to accept no profit or success at the price of my own self-respect lost because of unfair advantage taken or because of questionable acts on my part.

3. To remember that in building up my business it is not necessary to tear down another's; to be loyal to my clients or customers and true to myself.

4. Whenever a doubt arises as to the right or ethics of my position or action towards my fellow man, to resolve such doubt against myself.

5. To hold friendship as an end and not a means. To hold that true friendship exists not on account of the service in the spirit in which it is given.

6. Always to bear in mind my obligations as a citizen to my nation, my

State and my community, and to give them my unwavering loyalty in word, act and deed. To give them freely of my time, labor and means.

7. To aid my fellow men by giving my sympathy to those in distress, my aid to the weak, and my substance to the needy.

8. To be careful with my criticisms and liberal with my praise; to build up and not to destroy.

HOOVER ADVISES FIXED POLICY FOR SELLING WHEAT

Washington, June 27.—Faced with a request by President Hoover to consider a more definite policy for disposing of stabilization wheat, Chairman Stone of the Farm Board said tonight no decision would be reached until a review of the domestic and foreign situation had been completed.

Stone said the survey was now under way and probably would be completed by July 1.

President Hoover today suggested to the board that "in view of the unusual conditions growing out of the depression", the board should consider a more definite policy for disposing of the huge stocks of wheat held by the Grain Stabilization Corporation.

Immediately after the White House statement Stone summoned the board into the night session.

The chairman and Mr. Hoover went over the domestic wheat situation at a conference yesterday morning, but both withheld details.

A flood of demands that the board pledge itself to hold the 200,000,000 or more bushels of wheat off domestic markets for a definite period have come to the President and the board.

Senators and Representative from the wheat States joined in this demand.

The White House statement said: "Although President Hoover has no authority in determining the policies of the Farm Board he has suggested to the board, in view of unusual conditions growing out of the depression, that he thought it wise for it to consider a more definite policy in respect to sales of the holdings of the

Stabilization Corporation. The board is considering the matter".

The appeals for a promise that the wheat will be held ranged from a fixed period of four months to one year. Some asked that there be no selling until the price had reached \$1.

The President has been told by grain traders and growers that the price of domestic cereal would advance at least 10 cents a bushel immediately if a new agreement is announced.

A week ago, in response to Kansas pleas, the board said it would adhere to its present policy, adopted March 23, of handling the stabilization supplies "in such a way as to impose the minimum burden on domestic and world markets".

The board has felt it wanted to be free to take advantage of any favorable trade developments to dispose of the stocks and contended the March

23 policy did not imply that wheat would be "dumped" to depress prices.

Stone has said wheat will be sold abroad if there is a market and its sale does not affect prices adversely. Those who have asked for a new policy, however, are not concerned so much with foreign selling.

Senator Watson of Indiana, the Republican majority leader, conferred with Stone yesterday and later with President Hoover, urging withholding of the supplies until the new crop movement is over. He said Stone had indicated no such promise would be made, and added that Mr. Hoover had intimated he would not intervene.

The Grain Stabilization Corporation began buying wheat to steady fast-falling prices in February, 1930, and stayed in the market until June 3 of this month.

With a heavy 1931 crop in prospect, its holdings early last winter became

a target for attacks. It was claimed the corporation's wheat constituted a depressing threat to already low prices.

Shartel Asks Hoover to Hold Wheat For Six Months

Jefferson City, June 27.—Stratton Shartel, Attorney General of Missouri, today wired President Hoover urging the Federal Farm Board to definitely agree to hold up the sale of its wheat for at least six months.

"There are so many farmers who cannot afford to hold their crop," said the Attorney General. "Being in contact with many farmers in business and owning considerable and myself, I feel that I am in a position to express the opinion that such action will be of great benefit to the Missouri farmers".

The Standard \$1.50 per year.

CAIRO GOLF MATCH POSTPONED UNTIL AUGUST

According to an announcement made Wednesday by C. C. Scott, an invitation golf match here with the Cairo, Ill., Country Club originally scheduled for July 5 has been postponed until about August 23. The latter date has not received an OK by Cairo golf executives.

Cairo is scheduled to meet the locals on the Sikeston course July 22.

Similarly a round robin match with the Dexter Club has been postponed from July 19 until August 16.

In commenting on the suggested changes, Scott stated that an unusual number of Sikeston players expect to be away on vacation trips during the first two or three weeks of July, and postponement of the schedule followed accordingly.

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We almost said the growth had surprised us; but that would not be so, for we have always based our business on a belief that people will trade where they can secure the best values all the time. That is the store we try to operate; one free from sensational stunts and misleading exaggerations, but one filled with real, worthwhile values.

This ad contains some more reasons why business is ALWAYS good at Greener's

A New Shipment of Summer Dresses of VOILE

Every woman knows that no material is so cool for summer wear as voile; and dresses like these prove to the most fastidious that that comfort is gained without any sacrifice of smartness. You'll like these rich, softly colored prints, (in fast colors, of course), and you'll be surprised that they are priced at only

\$1.00

And For the Very Little Lady

For quite a while we have been having calls for lightweight dresses for smaller girls; frocks that had real style, yet were inexpensively priced. The answer is these new dresses, in sizes 3 to 6 years. They are made from exquisite fast color voiles, trimmed in organdy, and are novel and interesting in design. The prices, for party dresses or plain styles, are

49c and

95c

If Her Age Is 7 to 14 Years

She will find dozens of beautiful dresses in Greener's stock, at these low prices. Including prints, voiles, organdies, Swisses and broadcloths, the range of style is wide enough for any taste; and the prices are only

50c and

98c

We are still selling those beautiful silk dresses at \$3.95 and \$6.95. Styles that offer you a big saving. Don't fail to see them.



Just Badly Bent!

If your fenders are in such a state, bring them to Boyer Auto Service and let us restore to them their own graceful curves! The cost is very little, and your car will seem like new again.

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In all sizes for girls and boys, the same character suit, in red, green and blue, is greatly underpriced when offered at only

50c

BATHING CAPS

Two style, either one obtainable in a wide range of colors; the difference being in the weight of the rubber. Special at Greener's

10c and 25c

BATH TOWELS

Good size, white with colored borders, good weight and very durable. Greener's low price

10c

PICNIC SUPPLIES

We haven't space to list the items we show—plates, cups, forks and spoons, ice cream sets and picnic sets; paper napkins, and dozens of other useful and necessary articles. All are priced at the lowest figures; come to Greener's first.

The Vogue is White Hats

And among white hats, nothing quite takes the place of the plain, wide-brimmed panama with black or colored band. We have just received a new shipment of these, and they are real bargains at

\$1.98



A Special Group of Cool Voile Underthings

We offer in this group teddies and panties of silk stripe voile that we bought at a large concession—they were made to sell for at least 49c. In white and pastel shades. They are going at Greener's, while they last, for only

25c

Field Hats

Any style one could wish, for men, women, boys or girls; and the prices are lower than ever before! If you will look through our stock, you will find just what you have been looking for, priced somewhere between

15c to 69c

Dress Shirts

Made of white or printed broadcloth, collar attached style, in all sizes from 14 to 17. Full cut, well made, and the equal of shirts selling for much more. Special

59c

Black and White Striped Pants

Just opened a complete range of these popular summer pants. All sizes, made with big legs, wide waistband, with buckle back. Greener's low price

\$1.50

BOYS' SUN SUITS

A group of suits that includes not only our regular 59c styles, but a number of suits that have just been marked down from 98c. In all sizes from 3 to 8, in many models, they are bargains at

59c

There's Value in These Men's Straws

Our showing at this very low price includes both Yeddos and soft straws, the latter in gray, tan or white. Good shapes, and the price makes them outstanding values.

\$1.00

Men's High Grade Milans—But Modestly Priced

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